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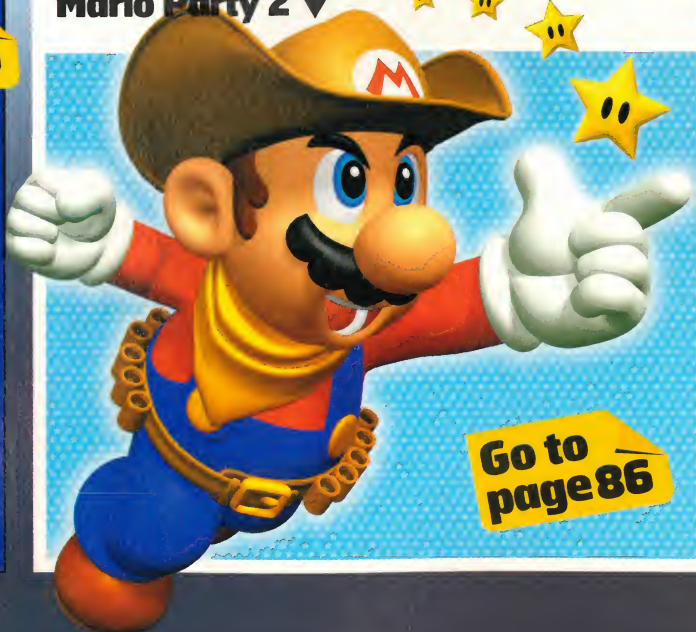
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Poké

Gold & Silver

Pokémon's one of Nintendo's hottest games, and the sequels have just been unleashed in Japan. Do you have what it takes to catch 100 more of the lil' critters...?

Pokémon Gold and Silver have just hit the shelves in Nintendo's homeland, and they're the greatest GB adventures we've ever seen.

The games play just like the original Red and Blue versions, but with loadsa exciting extras to have you racin' back for more Poké action.

There are 100 brand new Pokémon to catch, along with all 150 beastsies found in the original Red and Blue games. Won't that be excellent?

The game has a real clock, meaning that the time changes from night to day, and the Color graphics are wicked, especially in the amazing intro sequence. Take a look at this and start drooling...



▲ As the wicked intro sequence begins, we see three cute Shellders playing beneath the waves.



▲ Before long the camera moves up, to show a school of Magikarp cutting through the water.



▲ Lapras, one of the original game's most useful Pokémon, is exploring the ocean, looking for fun.



▲ Suddenly, new Pokémon flash onto the screen. Meet Waniinoko and Hinoarashi...



▲ ... along with Pikablu and Chikori-Ta. You're gonna love the new creatures.



◀ Bug eyed Jigglypuff is singing a song when Pikachu appears on the scene. Does Pika like it?
▼ Nope! The yellow peril launches into an attack, knocking the Jigglypuff for six.



▲ At the very end of the intro, Charizard appears. He throws his head back and takes a deep breath...
▶ ... whoosh! The original Fire Pokémon unleashes a blazing attack and the game begins.



mon



Meet Pichu, an unevolved Pikachu. He's one of Gold and Silver's biggest stars, and he'll rule your world when the Poké sequels are released in the UK.

The adventure begins

Although the adventure is set in a similar Poké world, the story is completely different.

Instead of Ash, you play as another Trainer who lives near the Poké researcher, Doctor Utsugi.

One day, Utsugi gets an e-mail from his old mate, Professor Oak, telling him about an amazing new Pokémon discovery.

The Doctor is too busy to make the trip, so it's up to you to meet the Poké Prof for him.

► This kid is the hero of Gold and Silver.



▲ At the start of the game, name your hero. Like in the original Pokémon game, you can give 'em your own name.

► Before you head off, go to Utsugi's lab and get your hands on a tough Pokémon for protection.



Take your pick

Like Pokémon Red and Blue, you have to choose from three starting Pokémon at the beginning of the game.

Each of these beasts is a different Pokémon Type, and you'll have to choose carefully as you only get one chance!

All three creatures grow into formidable fighters, and they all evolve before they reach Level 20. This means that they can protect the rest of your Poké squad while you're training a world class team of warriors.

Waninoko

Type Water

Pokédex Trainers should take care as this Pokémon has developed a powerful jaw.

Poké Fact
In Japan, Waninoko means Alligator Saw.



Hinoarashi

Type Fire

Pokédex When Hinoarashi is scared, he rolls into a ball. He has fire on his back for protection.

Poké Fact
Hinoarashi's classed as a Firemouse Pokémon.



Chikori-Ta

Type Grass

Pokédex The leaf on Chikori-Ta's head smells sweet, and he loves to bathe in the sun.

Poké Fact
There's a real kind of nut called Chikori.



▲ You'll see Trainers fightin' Pokémon.



▲ These girly twins are weird Trainers.

Time's tickin' away

The biggest difference is that time passes, just as it does in the real world.

When you first slam the cart into yer GB you're asked to enter the correct time, and the game will keep track of the passing hours.

This time aspect adds many new features to the game, some of which are dead exciting.



◀ Night and day

On a Pokémon hunt, you'll find different creatures hiding in the grass at night to the ones you'll see during daylight.



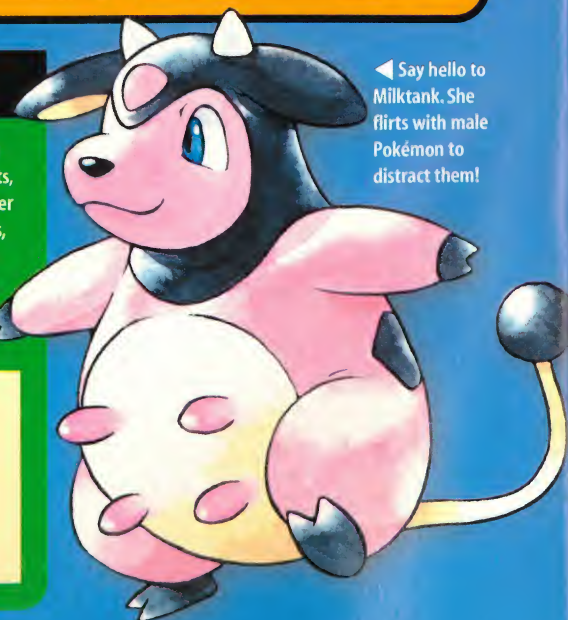
► Poké puzzles

Some of the rarest Pokémon hatch from eggs, and you have to wait and wait 'til they're ready to crack out. This can take a long time.



◀ Events

Special events, such as Trainer Tournaments, only happen on certain days. Don't miss 'em!



◀ Say hello to Milktank. She flirts with male Pokémon to distract them!

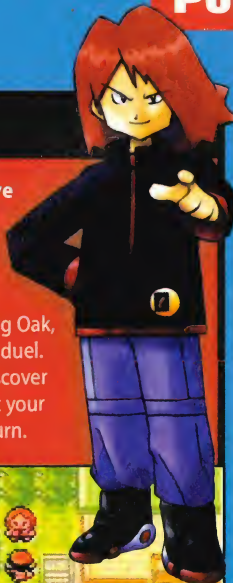
Your Poké rival

Like Gary in the original Pokémon game, you've got a Trainer rival in Silver and Gold.

This long haired loser is first seen peeking through the window of Utsugi's lab when you're choosing your first Pokémon.

On your way back to Utsugi's lab after contacting Oak, he also challenges you to your very first Pokémon duel.

However, when you get back to Utsugi you'll discover that one of his Pokémon has been stolen, and that your rival was the thief! Now he'll pester you at every turn.



▲ When your rival nicks a Pokémon from Utsugi's lab, he chooses one more powerful than yours, just like Gary did.



▲ When you speak to your rival peeking through the lab window, he pushes you away... the fiend!



▲ In the Slowpoke's Well, you'll find that Team Rocket has taken over. Smash 'em!



▲ Here, you have to chase a Farfetch'd around a forest maze before you catch 'im.

Grab your Poké Gear

The hero has more gadgets to use in the Gold and Silver editions.

This time he has Poké Gear, a cool wristwatch computer which features a mobile phone, radio and town maps.

When you beat certain Trainers, they'll give you their phone number and call you later for a re-match.

And, when you find a Radio Expansion Card, you can tune in to Oak's Pokémon radio shows.



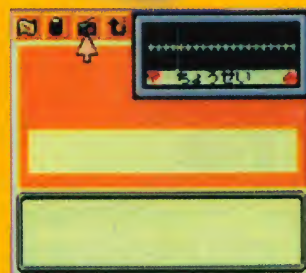
▲ This time round, the Pokémon world map is found in your Poké Gear wrist watch computer. Handy, or what?



▲ The cool Poké Gear watch is amazing. We just wish you could buy them!



▲ Occasionally, your Poké Gear will begin to ring, showing that you've got a phone call. It could be a challenge...



▲ When you get the Radio Expansion Card, tune in to Oak's Pokémon lectures. You'll get hints and tips from them.

In your rucksack

One annoying thing about Pokémon is that you have to scroll through lists of items to find the piece of kit you need. Not any more!

The new hero wears a rucksack on his back, with different pockets used for specific items.

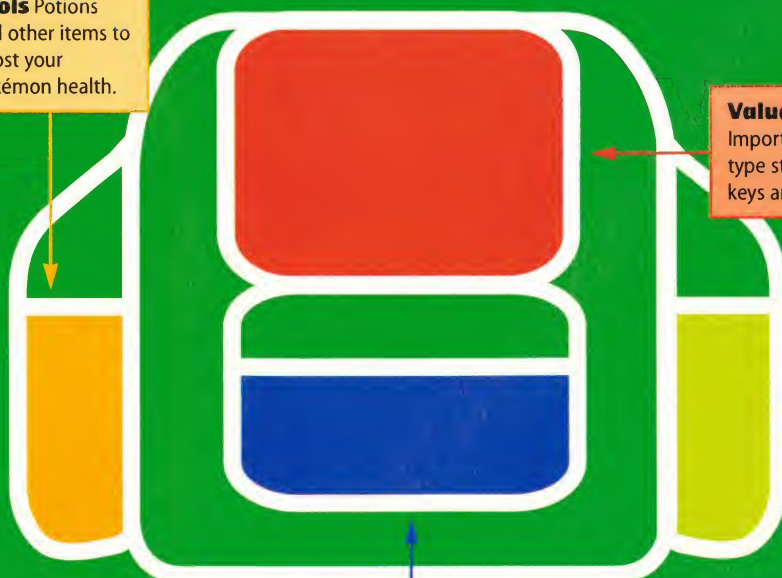
For example, all healing Potions are kept in the left hand side pocket, while Poké Balls are kept in the front pocket for easy access.

Tools Potions and other items to boost your Pokémon health.

Valuables Important mission type stuff, such as keys and passes.



▲ To move between rucksack pockets, just hit the and keys on your Game Boy pad.



Poké Balls

For Poké, Super, Hyper, Lure, Speed and Master Balls.

Special items

HMs and TMs which you can teach Pokémon.

Professor Oak's back!

Once you've explored Wakaba Town and Route 29, it's time to head north to find Professor Oak's lab.

Inside, the Poké Prof gives you a Pokédex to record creature info, and a mysterious Pokémon egg which you must give to Doctor Utsugi.

Before long, Oak realises he's late for the Pokémon radio show he hosts, and he rushes off to Kogane City's radio tower. See ya later!



- ◀ Professor Oak is still the world's authority on all things Pokémon. Now you can listen to his lectures.
- ▶ The Poké Prof appears at the start of the game, just as he did in Red and Blue.



▲ After you speak to Oak he gives you an egg, then rushes off to his radio lecture in another town.

New Poké Types

As well as the 15 Pokémon Types seen in the first games, two more vicious categories have been added.

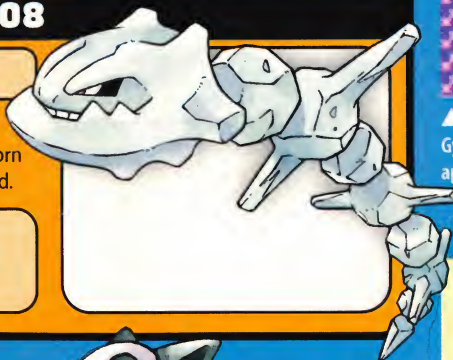
Dark and Steel Types are used to make up for weaknesses in the original games. For example, Dark Type Pokémon are super effective against Psychics, who were hard to beat in the original adventures.

Haganale #208

Type Steel

Pokédex His body is harder than diamonds as he was born compressed far underground.

Poké Fact
Haganale means 'steel' in Japanese.



Delvil #228

Type Dark

Pokédex Delvil's roaring voice sounds different when he talks to friends rather than enemies.

Poké Fact
Delvil is supposed to sound like 'devil'. Scary!



Egg-citing developments

You'll also get an egg from a guy in the first big town, Kikyou City.

You can carry this egg in your list of six Pokémon and, as time ticks on, it'll eventually hatch and reveal a new creature.

Hatching an egg is the only way to get Togepi, a Pokémon who's becoming even more popular than Pikachu!

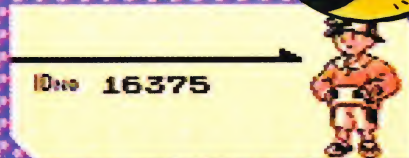
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◀ If you wanna hatch a Pokémon egg, keep it in your list of six creatures for AGES and eventually...

▶ ... crraaaaack! It's Togepi, one of Japan's most popular Pokémon. You'll love 'im, too!



◀ Togepi's egg is the big one on the left. The small one'll hatch to reveal an unevolved lil' Electabuzz.



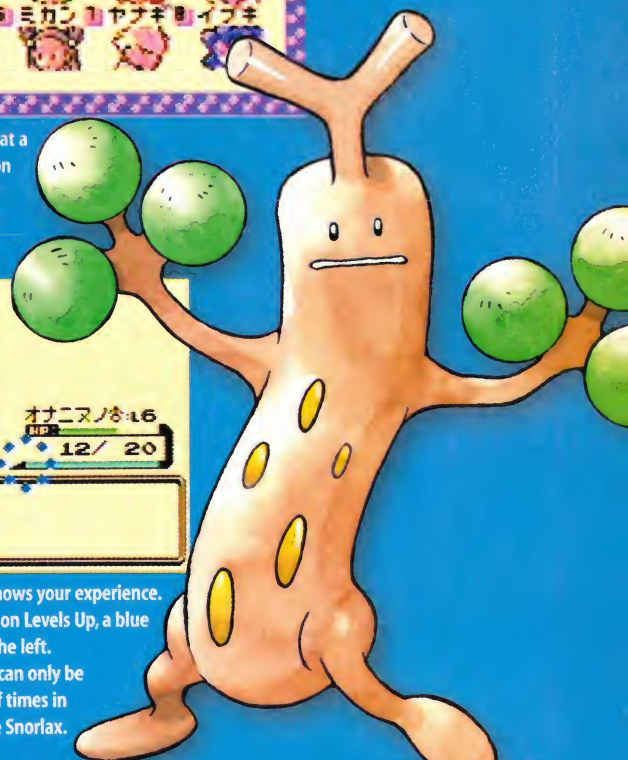
▲ When your Pokémon is stunned, little yellow birds fly around their head!

▲ When you defeat a Gym Leader, an icon appears over their portrait. Seven more to go...



▲ The blue bar shows your experience. When your Pokémon Levels Up, a blue flash appears on the left.

▶ This Pokémon can only be caught a couple of times in the game, just like Snorlax.



Gotta catch 'em all!

In all, there are 250 Pokémon to catch in the Gold and Silver editions, 150 of whom you'll have met before. There are even rumours of a secret 251st Pokémon.

Pichu #172

Type Electric

Pokédex Pichu isn't good at saving energy. When he laughs, he wastes electricity.

Poké Fact

Pichu is an unevolved Pikachu. No surprise, eh?



Pupurin #174

Type Normal

Pokédex Pupurin has a very soft body. If he falls over, he can't stop himself from bouncing.

Poké Fact

Pupurin is a type of cream cake in Japan!



Pii #173

Type Normal

Pokédex Pii is star shaped. Because of this, people think he came from a shooting star.

Poké Fact

Cute little Pii is an unevolved Clefairy.



Guraigar #207

Type Bug/Flying

Pokédex He flies straight at enemies and sticks to their face, stinging them with needles.

Poké Fact

Guraigar means glider in the Japanese language.



► A dancing monkey with a glove on the end of his tail? Welcome back to the wacky world of Pokémon!



Blue #209

Type Normal

Pokédex Although Blue looks stern, his personality is very gentle. Women love him!

Poké Fact

Blue's a major star in the Pokémon movies.



Hasam #212

Type Normal/Flying

Pokédex When he threatens enemies with his claws, it appears he has three heads.

Poké Fact

Hasam is Japanese for scissors. Snip snip!



Nu-Ra #215

Type Fighting

Pokédex He hides sharp nails inside his fingers. When attacked, Nu-Ra uses them for defence.

Poké Fact

Nu-Ra one of the best Gold and Silver fighters.



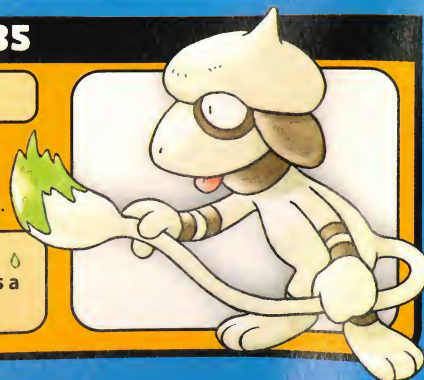
Do-Buru #235

Type Normal

Pokédex He marks his territory by painting marks with the liquid from his tail.

Poké Fact

Do-Buru is classified as a Painting Pokémon.



► The graphics are loads better. All the attacks look far more exciting. Here, Onix uses his Bind attack.



▲ You can collect Nuts from these plants, and get an expert to make special Poké Balls from them.

Kapooria #237

Type Normal

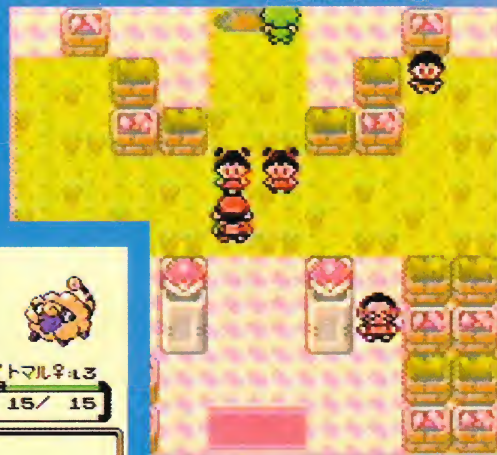
Pokédex If you get bewitched by Kapooria's graceful dancing, he'll give you a painful punch!

Poké Fact

Capoeria is a form of mad dancing from Brazil!



► This grassy Gym is the second one you'll visit. There are three Trainers inside, including the twins who attack you as one person. They're easy to beat, though.



◀ This spider Pokémon is one of the first creatures you'll get to catch. He's a tricky one!

Milktank #241

Type Ground

Pokédex Milk is very nutritious, and Milktank produces delicious drinks for the old and sick.

Poké Fact

Milktanks flirt to distract attacking male Pokémon!



Hapinas #242

Type Normal

Pokédex If you're lucky enough to eat Hapinas' eggs, you'll be a generous and loved person.

Poké Fact

Puff ball Hapinas is an unevolved Chansey.



Boys and girls

There were male and female species of Nidoran in Pokémon Red and Blue, but ALL the creatures have a gender in Gold and Silver.

If you catch a male and a female version of the same Pokémon, visit the Daycare Centre in Kogame City.

Give the old man your male Pokémon, and the lady your female beastie. Come back an hour later and they'll give you a Poké egg.

You have to pay these people for their breeding service, but at least you'll have a mysterious egg to care for and hatch.



◀ Leave your male and female Pokémon in the Daycare Centre and the old couple will breed 'em for you. Come back an hour later.



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► You'll get an egg once they're finished, and it's up to you to hatch the thing. Wonder what it'll be...

Multiplayer mayhem

Like Red and Blue, there are different Pokémon on the Gold and Silver carts, so you have to link up and trade to get all 250.

The Colosseum option also returns, so you can battle your mates and show them who the real Master is.

Players can even trade Pokémon with the Red, Blue and Yellow versions! However, you have to use a special Time Machine, found on the first floor of every Pokémon Centre.

You can't exchange Pokémon which don't appear in the version you're trading to and, if your Pokémon has a Gold or Silver attack which doesn't appear in the original game, you can't make the Time Machine exchange.



▲ The Colosseum looks much the same as it did in Pokémon Red and Blue.



▲ The Time Machine, on the right, can only be used when you reach a certain point in the game. Brilliant idea, or what?



◀ It's Tomanuts! The names in this feature have been translated from Japanese, so expect most to change.

New Gym Leaders

As well as 100 new Pokémon, Gold and Silver feature an army of new Pokémon Trainers and Leaders to mash.

There are eight fearsome Gym Leaders to battle, and each will give you a Pokémon Badge and new powers if you win. Here's who you'll meet...

► Hayato's Gym is like a maze, with a Trainer to fight at every turn. He's much easier to beat than Brock.



Akane

Prize Regular Badge
Effect Your Pokémon can use Kairiki super human powers anywhere.



Matsuba

Prize Phantom Badge
Effect Use Surf wherever you like, Lv 50 Pokémon do what you say.



Hayato

Prize Wing Badge
Effect Your Pokémon attack increases, use Flash anywhere you like.



Tsukushi

Prize Insect Badge
Effect All Pokémon to Lv 30 obey you, use Chop move anywhere.



Shijima

Prize Shock Badge
Effect Use Fly in the field, Lv 70 creatures are your willing servants.



Mikan

Prize Steel Badge
Effect This Badge increases your Pokémon defence to a much higher level.



Yanagi

Prize Ice Badge
Effect New move Whirlpool can be used anywhere, increases Specials.



Ibuki

Prize Rising Badge
Effect You can swim up waterfalls and all Pokémon obey you. Now you're a Master!

Pocket Pikachu, too!

Amazingly, Gold and Silver also work with the new Pokémon Pikachu Color, also just released in Japan.

The new Pikachu pedometer features an infra red link, just like the one on top of your GB Color.

By placing Pikachu and your Color's infra red links together, you can get secret items from the pedometer and use 'em in your Gold and Silver adventures. Amazing!

There are also loadsa new animations for lil' Pikachu.

► The Color Pokémon Pikachu looks great, and we can't wait to get our hands on it when it hits the UK.



Infra red links

Pokémon Gold and Silver are able to use the infra red link, found on top of your Game Boy Color.

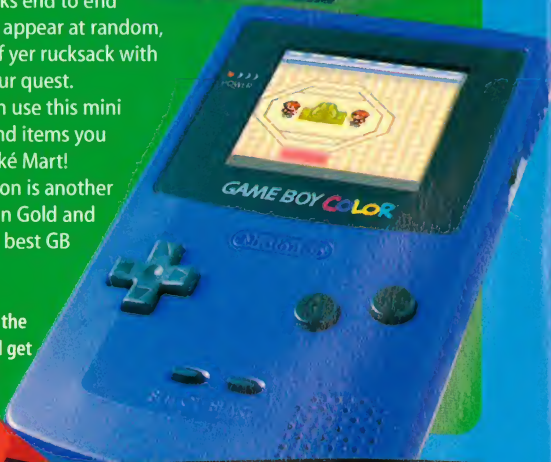
You still have to use Link Cables to trade and battle Pokémon, but you can play the Mysterious Gift game via infra red.

In this, two people place their GB infra red links end to end and Pokémon items appear at random, allowing you to stuff yer rucksack with cool stuff to help your quest.

Best of all, you can use this mini game to get tools and items you won't find in any Poké Mart!

This infra red option is another reason why Pokémon Gold and Silver are two of the best GB quests ever made.

► If you haven't used the infra red link yet, you'll get the chance when Gold and Silver crash in.



Wait for it!

Pokémon Gold and Silver are set for release in America this September, so don't expect a UK version 'til Christmas at the very, very earliest. Stay tuned to Nintendo Official Magazine for the latest Gold and Silver news as it breaks.

We think...

Gold and Silver are the most exciting GB games ever. They're packed with amazing ideas which will have you glued to your portable pal for yonks. A classic.

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tarzan

Swing through the trees and become lord of the jungle. Tarzan's heading to the N64 for more Disney magic...



◀ You'll have your work cut out if you wanna stop Clayton, the nasty hunter. Watch those elephants!
 ▼ As well as attacking heaps of baddies, you'll need to master loadsa magic moves, from vine swinging to tree climbing. Go for it!

Game Info

By: **Activision**
 Type: **3D Platformer**
 Release: **Spring 2000**



Jungle japes

Recreating all the action packed excitement of the smash hit flick, Tarzan sees you take on the perils of the jungle in this classy cartoon platformer. Evil Clayton the hunter's taking over and it's your mission to stop him.

With loadsa animal nasties to defeat, fab games to play and funny friends to meet, you'll need to be the ultimate king of the apes to save the day. It's time to use all yer swinging skills and get racin' through the forest.



▲ Keep your spear drawn, 'cos there are loadsa beasts roaming the jungle. Watch out for nasty ol' Sabor, Tarzan!
 ▲ Take part in the film's brill scenes, including the wicked vine sliding game. It's guaranteed to blow your mind.



Controlling Tarzan

The king of the jungle has got loadsa special moves to pull off and defeat the nasties.

You start as young Tarzan, but you'll grow into an adult as you progress. There are loadsa moves to master, so let's see Professor Porter for a quick briefing...



3D Stick

Use the Stick to journey through the jungle and dodge outta the way of enemy attack.



Z Trigger

Reach pick ups under ground by pounding the earth with your fists 'til it caves in.



B Button

Use your high throw to chuck tasty pieces of fruit straight at any little critters.



V Button

This is your second throwing move. Launch a long throw to send wild animals packing.



A Button

This is your jump button. Slam it to leap to higher ledges and grab hold of any vines.



X Button

This is a great move. Use your knife to swipe at 'em and cause some mega damage.



C Button

If any animals get too close to you, stab 'em with your knife to fend them off.

▼ There are loadsa wacky people to meet in Tarzan. This is Professor Porter. He's Jane's father and the world's leading ape expert. What a boff!



Deep in the forest

Your jungle quest begins with Tarzan as an orphan.

Rescued by Kala the Gorilla from Sabor, Tarzan's determined to prove he's the best ape ever. But one day, the peace is shattered by the arrival of Clayton and his cronies. They plan to take over the forest and capture the gorillas.



Orphaned in the jungle, Tarzan is found and raised by a family of apes. Under the protection of Kala,



▲ The game begins deep in the heart of the jungle where Kala rescues little Tarzan from Sabor.
◀ But one day Clayton arrives. It's up to you to use all your swingin' skills to send him packing.

Ace animals

Fans of the film will be pleased to hear that you'll meet Tarzan's jungle mates as you progress through the game.

As well as playing the lord of the jungle, you'll even get to control some of Tarzan's friendly pals from the ace flick. Not only can you control his gorilla buddy, Terk, to smash up Clayton's camp, but you'll even get the chance to ride rampaging elephants through the forest.

Let's go deep into the jungle and take a closer look at some of the crazy characters you'll meet on your journey and learn a bit more about 'em...



Terk

She's Tarzan's best friend and acts as his older sister. Keep 'em peeled for your buddy 'cos she'll give you some handy advice when the going gets tough.



Tantor

This huge elephant looks like a mountain, but he's really as scared as a mouse. To reach high ledges, bounce on his back and he'll blast you into the air.



Sabor

This vicious leopard killed Tarzan's parents. You'll come face to face with this deadly beast during the game, so give him a good pasting with your spear.

Welcome to the Jungle

Look out for the Terk heads when you start your adventure.

Grab 'em and your buddy'll appear to give you advice on negotiating the hazards ahead from leaping over ravines to vine swinging.



▲ If any nasties get in your way, send 'em packing with a piece of fruit.



▲ Collect the Tarzan Tokens. Grab 100 and you'll be receive an extra life.



▲ Look out for alternative routes. Jump onto the higher stump for extra goodies.

Going Ape

If you loved the film, you're gonna go berserk when you see what this stage's got in store for you.

As well as using vines to swing over massive drops, you'll get the chance to take part in the wicked tree slide. As you fly along, make sure you get ready to duck 'n' jump the branches or you'll be knocked out cold. Look out for Tarzan Tokens to increase your collection, too.



▲ Lil' Tarzan must swing from the vines and land on the log. It might look easy, but it's a very long way down.



▲ Vine sliding is one of the coolest parts of your adventure. Get the perfect line or you won't get the Tarzan Tokens.



▲ Watch out for the obstacles dotted throughout the route. Smack into the branch and you'll come a cropper.



▲ Another branch is in your way. Don't jump over it. Duck, and you'll sail through the trickiest part of the course.

Goodies to grab

Littering each level are various pick ups you can collect to help Tarzan in his quest.

As well as getting items to help you defeat the enemy,

there are some cool prizes which open up the game's secrets. Let's take a look at some of the collectibles you'll find and see what you'll get for your troubles...



▲ Bananas

If your energy meter's running low, grab a bunch of 'nanas to boost your health. Now you can really bash some baddies.



▲ Coloured fruit

There are five kinds to find, from the basic yellow weapons to the cool red cluster bombs which cause major damage.



▲ Tarzan Tokens

These coins are scattered everywhere. Get your hands on as many as ya can 'cos if you get 100 an extra life is yours.



▲ Tarzan Letters

Six of 'em are tucked away on each stage. Collect them all, finish the level and you'll get a cool film story screen.



▲ Monkey Sketch

A wicked bonus game is yours if you find four pieces of the picture. They're hard to find, so keep your eyes peeled.



▲ Knife

Apart from the fruit, this blade is your only weapon. Snatch the icon and you'll be able to cut the baddies down to size.

▼ Look out for the green ivy on the trees. You can use this to climb up to hidden platforms where goodies await.



Dodge the elephants

The graphics in Tarzan look like something straight outta the Disney film and one of the best levels is the elephant stampede.

To complete the level, you've gotta guide Tarzan past all manner of hazards, from charging gorillas to uprooted trees. Look out for the shortcuts to grab the extra items and make sure you get yer skates on or you'll be squished by the pack of elephants.



▲ The charging elephants are out to getcha. Get a move on or you'll be as flat as a pancake.



▲ As you scoot down the course, keep your eyes peeled for shortcuts to get out of their way.



▲ Ickle Tarzan'll have to spring into the air to snatch the higher Tarzan Tokens. Nice move!



▲ As well as rampaging elephants, you'll even have to dodge between massive gorillas. Gulp!

Boss battle

No Disney game would be complete without cool baddies to bash and Tarzan is no exception.

As you grow up, one rock 'ard creature you'll have to face is Sabor the evil leopard. He's one tough beast to beat, so keep your spear drawn and leap outta the way of his vicious claw attack when he jumps atcha. When he prowls in close, stab him with your spear and he'll be running for cover in no time at all.

▼ When he leaps in for the kill, draw your spear to avoid his nasty razor sharp claws.

▼ After growing into adult Tarzan, you'll be able to get revenge and kill nasty ol' Sabor.



▼ As Sabor moves in close, attack him with your weapon 'til he bites the dust. Nice goin', Tarzan.



Fun 'n' funky games

Find all four pieces of the Monkey Sketch and you'll have the chance to try your luck in the bonus games at the end of the level.

There are some top challenges which you'll thoroughly enjoy playing, so let's take a closer look at 'em...

Bird race

Jump on the back of a giant bird and dash down the course, grabbing Tarzan Tokens as you go.

Pick up the coloured fruit along the way and you'll be rewarded with extra time.



▲ The clock's ticking so get yer skates on and nab those Tokens. For more time, collect the fruit.



▲ The course'll send you deep into the jungle. Fly over the tree roots or it'll be Game Over.

Ride the rapids

Hit the water on a giant leaf and race the clock to the finishing line.

Steer well clear of the fierce whirlpools that suck you under the water. Ferocious crocs may chomp you to pieces.



▲ As you shoot down the fast flowing river, don't forget to grab the extra Tarzan Tokens.



▲ Whoah! Steer clear of the vicious whirlpools or you'll be sucked to the river bottom.



▲ You'll even get the chance to high dive into the water, just like young Tarzan does in the fab Disney film.

We think...

Tarzan was a fab Disney movie and the game's looking red hot. With top platform action, ace bosses and groovy games, N64 nuts are gonna go ape over this.



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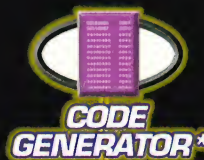


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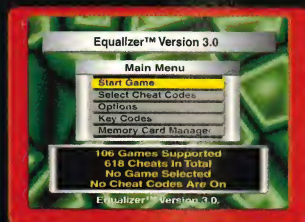


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South Park Rally

Those trash talkin' kids are back, baking brownies and burning rubber. South Park Rally's good to go...

Game Info



Price: **£39.99**
Release: **December**



WE SAID "If you love Mario Kart 64, you're gonna go ga ga for South Park Rally."



South Park Rally

First tip

Don't go hell for leather in the early days. Stay with the pack and let the computer controlled characters lead you to the goodies. Then quickly steal 'em and put your foot to the floor.

Back on track

South Park's back on TV and now it's revved up for action on your N64. Take control of the four kids and race through loadsa courses and multiplayer circuits.

Even better, South Park Rally is much more than a Mario Kart 64 or Diddy Kong Racing clone. Let's get down to the grid and learn a little more about this ace racing fest...



▲ It's manic motorway mayhem with the South Park crew. Kenny's really kicking some ass on the track.



▲ You have complete freedom on the course, so you can go where you like. Ned takes out Cartman. Sweeeet!

Hit the grid

As always, there are loadsa gameplay options which are guaranteed to keep you happy.

Take your pick from this little lot...



Tournament You're faced with three revved up rivals and you've gotta come first to progress to the next race. Fail, and you'll lose one of your five lives.



Arcade Race Lets you compete in a single race on any of the unlocked tracks. If you can't decide the circuit, select Random and the computer'll choose.



Multiplayer Up to four players can rip up the track. Again, you can battle it out on any of the unlocked courses. Fast, frantic and loadsa fun. What d'ya expect?

SOUNDS All the rude, crude language from the TV series is here, as well as loadsa tacky tunes to drive you insane. Well, you wouldn't expect anything else!

► The barriers are down and you must wait for the train to pass. You could risk swerving round 'em, but it could result in a very nasty accident. Kenny takes the easy option. Coward!



Go, go, go!

The race is underway, and you'll notice that things are a little different.

Unlike most racing games, there's no

set route, giving you freedom around the track. There's no chequered flag and you've gotta complete tasks to win.



► Let the pre race sequence run and you'll get a few clues on the best route.
► It's all go as they race to the first checkpoint. Barbrady's in trouble.



► Drive over the checkpoint and you'll go on to the next. Miss, and you'll have to go back.



► Kenny's about to win. The race ends when the first player touches the final checkpoint.

Watch out for the...

You're off to a flyer and left your rivals for dead, but don't think the race is over.

Dotted throughout the track are loadsa hazards 'n' obstacles which'll throw you into chaos if you're not quick on the wheel.

► Keep a look out for the huge snowplough. It's incredibly slow and it'll barge you off the track.



► Mrs Crabtree is up to her usual tricks. Stay on the correct side of the road, you miserable ol' bag.

Stan, Kyle, Cartman or Kenny?

It's tough, but you've gotta decide who you wanna control. It doesn't have to be one of the kids, either!

The awesome foursome are joined by four other faves and you'll earn bonus characters as you progress.



Stan

Safe and dependable. That sums up Stan and it explains his choice of car. He's gone for a very typical family saloon.



Kyle

Flash and rich. Yep, that's Kyle, which is why he's cruising the courses in a powerful sports car. The definite favourite.



Cartman

Cartman was limited for choice when selecting his mean machine. The 4WD is the only motor which fits his big ass.



Kenny

Poor ol' Kenny has to settle for a homemade go kart. However, don't underestimate the lil' fella. It's more powerful than it looks.

LOOKS The best looking South Park game. The fogging's been removed and the backgrounds are very solid. As always, the characters look awesome.

Chaos 'n' carnage

Crash through the coloured boxes and you'll be rewarded with a cool power up.

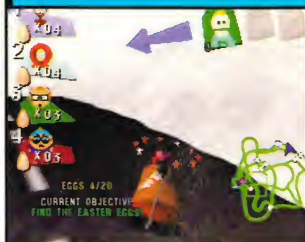
But this is South Park, remember, so don't expect the usual homing missiles and shields. This time, the power ups are even weirder than ever and they'll cause maximum damage to your motor if you take a hit.

We've been racing the tracks for a good few weeks and here are five of our faves...



Taco Drop a Taco on the ground and wait for a rival to approach. It'll explode and send their vehicle into the air.

Dodge Balls The Dodge Ball is incredibly powerful. One hit and you'll spin off the track and outta contention.



Pink Eye This cool probe reverses your controls, so hit **B** and pull back on the 3D Stick to continue driving.



Sparky Sparky chases the car in front. Once he's sunk his teeth into the bumper, you can't move for a few seconds.



Saddam Watch out for the booby prize. Get Saddam and he'll appear on the screen and obscure your view.

MULTIPLAYER Fast four player fun which you'll want to return to again and again.

What do you think?

Is South Park Rally the best thing on four wheels or is Mario Kart 64 still number one?

Cruise to Club Mario and drop us a line with your thoughts. We'll even give away an ace N64 game for the coolest letters.



▲ It's neck 'n' neck between Stan and Kenny. Only two more checkpoints to go. It's gonna be an exciting finish.

Learn the track

There's no easy ride in South Park Rally, and if you don't study the track's layout, you'll be left for dust by your ultra competitive rivals.

Make sure you use the map in the bottom right corner. This'll lead you to the goodies and help you to pick up the next bend. Over run and you'll have to reverse or look for an alternative route, and both'll lose you valuable seconds.

► Pip obviously knows something. The clever dogs is going the opposite way. You'd better follow him.



▲ The first player to collect 20 eggs is the winner. Hey, there's one. Get it and you're in the lead.



▲ Mr Garrison tries to steal your stash of eggs. Use your power ups and knock 'im outta the race. Gotcha!



▲ Use your map to find all of the goodies. Otherwise, you'll have no chance against this rowdy bunch.

ONE PLAYER Tough at first, but very rewarding if you give it the time. Stick with it and you'll enjoy completing every battle.

Manic multiplayer

Take time out from trashing the computer and get your friends round for a mega kick ass multiplayer fest.

Usually, battles against your mates are more fun, and that's certainly the case with SPR. Now you'll find players all over the track as they try to find shortcuts and hidden routes. There are no battle arenas, but this is still a very sweeeeet experience.

► SPR features an awesome Multiplayer mode. Barbrady's off the track, as usual. Go on Ned, use this time to get ahead.



▲ The speed is very impressive in Multiplayer mode. Kenny uses his Pink Eye probe to take out Chef.



▲ A herd of mad cows roam the course. Don't go round 'em. Smack 'em outta the way and send 'em flying!

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GAME SCORE

South Park Rally is a strange game. The more you play it, the greater the rewards. If you're a South Park nut, you'll love it. Others should rent it first.

90%





A Bug's Life

Join Flik and his friends for a crazy ant adventure.

Game Info



Price: **£39.99**
Release: **January 2000**



WE SAID "A Bug's Life promises to be one of the N64's funniest platform adventures."



▲ Flik's invention lets you to suck up corn.

Ant invasion

Relive the magic from the movie with A Bug's Life. You control Flik, an outcast ant who must go in search of tougher bugs to help defend his colony.

However, leaving the safety of the ant hill poses all sorts of problems. He must battle through 15 levels packed with evil creatures and brain taxing puzzles. Luckily, quite a few of his friends are on hand to offer him some assistance.



▲ Master Flik's moves to save the ant colony.

LOOKS Flik and friends look the part, but the backgrounds are very bland. We'd expect much better from a Disney title.



▲ Use the dandelion petals to soar into the air and float over the nasty thorn plants that're on the other side.

Dot on the landscape

Before entering the opening level, visit the Training option to get to grips with the basic moves. It's dull, but very useful.

Once completed, Flik must make his way back to his ant hill. If you come under attack from

Hopper's cronies, strike with yer Berry Attack.

Luckily, Dot helps to guide him through the maze, but there are still loadsa creepy crawlies out there to give you a hard time. Keep her in sight and you should get back safe 'n' sound.



▲ Flik's Berry Attack'll splat the bad bugs. It has three strengths, so look out for the power boosts.



▲ Hit the baddies with yer fruit attack and a leaf may appear. Grab it to increase your energy meter.



▲ You've successfully made your way through the maze. You'll get to the ant hill in one piece.

Big bug bosses

All the cool characters from the film are here, and you'll face some of the bigger baddies in one on one boss battles.



▲ Watch out for Bird's swoop attack or you're history.

Thumper's the first to get in your way, but use your Berry Attack and you'll be able to brush him aside without too many problems.



▲ Thumper's the first boss. Keep on the move, Flik.

GAME LENGTH It won't take long to finish. There are 15 levels, but you can get through 'em in one day. Even kids will have this licked in no time.

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GAME SCORE

A Bug's Life is aimed at young gamers, but there's still no excuse to release such a poor title. The game is so easy, it'll be outta your console after the first day. It's a poor cash in on an ace movie. Ignore!

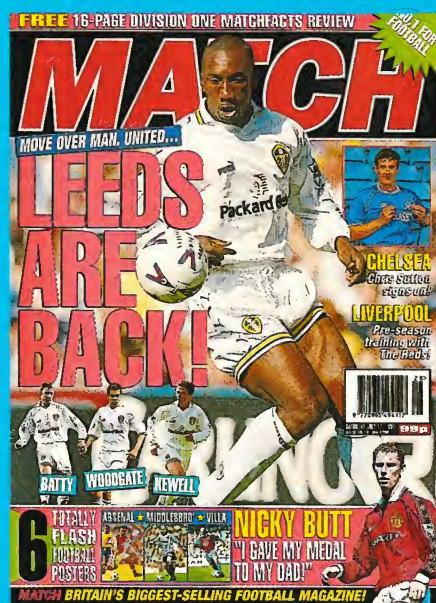
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SOUNDS The sound effects are the best thing about this game and they're not very impressive. It's a shame there's so little speech.

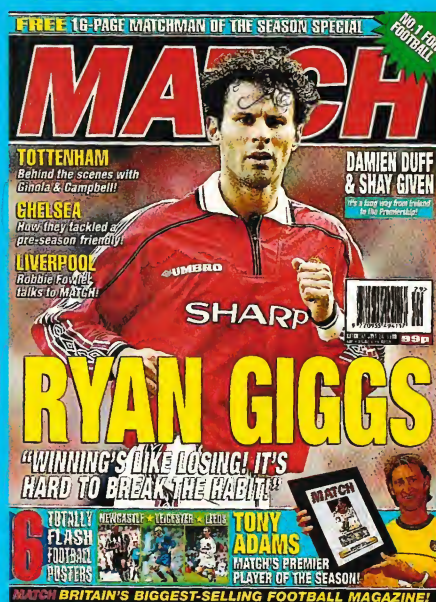
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Paperboy

Game Info



Price: **£39.99**
Release: **End January**



LOOKS It's got a new look, but the weird and wacky cartoon graphics are average. Pulling stunts is ace, though.

Jump on your bike and ride like the wind, the golden oldie of the arcades is pedalling onto the N64.

WE SAID "It'll need a few extra tweaks to really make an impact."



▲ Paperboy's biking back onto the scene in a classic remake.
▶ Hit the bad guys who try mowing you down before they even get a chance.

Pedal power

It's time to push yer cycling skills to the limit. Paperboy is back! Deliver your papers before the time runs out, while avoiding sneaky hazards.

Not only that, but you'll need to keep on the look out for power ups and bonus coins to unlock secret courses. Let's go see the neighbourhood...



▲ There are loadsa mini games. In this one, you've gotta grab as many gold medals as you can find.

Hit the streets

Unlike in the original we all know and love, there are loadsa different roads waiting to be unlocked.

Deliver enough papers and you'll be rewarded with a whole new street, full of loadsa eager readers.



Alphaville

The houses are quite spread out and there are lots of papers scattered through the level. The first house can be easy to miss if you're not paying close attention.



Alice's RV Haven

A rough caravan park full of wrecked trailers. The course twists 'n' turns, but keep an eye on the map and you should be able to please all your customers.



Moose Pellet Park

A figure of eight course which is packed with animals. Brake, and you might get run down by wild moose. The houses on the bends can be quite tough to hit.

SOUNDS The tunes are funky at first, but they become irritating after a while. The sound effects are dire.

Silky skills

To keep your customers happy, your shot's gotta be spot on.

To help you out, a red arrow appears. This lets you set up a throw first, before launching your paper.

▶ Hit the mailboxes to gain those vital extra seconds and tons of points.



▲ The tricks are fun! Catch some air with a Handstand to send your score soaring.



▲ Show off to yer pals by performing a Tabletop stunt for mucho points. Cool!



GAME LENGTH Once you've unlocked all the secrets, you won't wanna go back to this.

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GAME SCORE

Paperboy could've been a brill conversion of a classic, but this remake is a huge letdown. It's fun for a while, but opening the secrets won't take long at all. Possibly worth renting, but nothing more.

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Supercross 2000

Game Info



Price: **£44.99**
Release: **February 2000**



WE SAID "Supercross 2000 is shaping up nicely, with fantastic animation and wicked jumps."



◀ Finish yer race in style with a cool jump over the line. Impressive!



▲ Gotta catch some air and keep ahead of the pack. It's a lot more difficult than it looks, believe us!
◀ The yellow arrows guide you round the first lap. Figuring out where to go can be quite tricky.

Burnout bonanza

Supercross 2000 is here to inject some rough ridin' motorbike action into yer N64. So kick start your engines, gamers!

Supercross bikes are mean lookin' off roaders, capable of pulling outrageous air and poppin' phat wheelies. Hope you've a head for heights!

They need to be tough 'cos the courses are a combination of heart stoppin' jumps and hairpin turns. Oh, and mud. Lots and lots of lovely mud.

To get ahead in this sport you're gonna need skill, courage and an eye for the racing line.



◀ You've gotta get ahead any which way you can, including knocking the other riders off their bikes.

LOOKS Really solid looking with wicked bike detail. All the riders actually look like they're on a bike, which is a bonus.



▲ Crashes are an occupational hazard for these bikers.



▲ It's a struggle to control your machine at first, but stick with it and the fun will soon come.



▲ The crowd are going wild 'cos number 14's riding like a loon.

Control your mean machine

To get the most out of the game, you've got to know how to handle yer bike.

Check out what does what and you're sure to win the race...

V button

This is your trick button. Use it at the same time as your 3D Stick to pull off some ace tricks.

C button

Changes the camera angle. There are four to choose from, like handle bar and behind rider.

B button

This button is your brake. Use only in emergencies, 'cos it's just for sissies, really! Be brave, gamers!

Z Trigger

Cuts the power to the back wheel. Use as you approach the corners, then release for a jolt of power.

A button

Your accelerator, which should be permanently on. Use with the Trigger to slow yourself down.

3D Stick

Push forward to put the rider's weight over the front wheel. Ideal for entering a corner.

R button

Changes the view so you can see your bike head on. Great for checking out who's behind you.



▲ Yeah, baby! Eat my dirt! Take a sneaky look behind you to check out what the competition is up to.

Skill thrill

Watching Supercross 2000, you'd think it'd be a just for laughs arcade blast. Wrong!

Although you can pick up and play the game, you'll need to think about yer technique to get to grips with this mud racer.

Unlike other motor bike games, the rider and the bike are separate, just like in real life. This means to succeed you have to use your body weight to navigate corners and make the most of jumps. It's well hard!



▲ Get the front wheel up for a faster start.



▲ You can adjust yer racing line while in the air.



▲ Push the riders weight forward when entering a corner, and pull back when exiting. That's it!

Loads a modes

There are plenty of ways to get the mud churnin' in Supercross 2000. For a start, there's a Season mode which'll take you on a tour of the tracks on the real supercross circuit. Off roaders'll love it!

But if you want to have a quick race on the same courses, you can. The same goes for the freestyle mode. There's also a competition to take part in. Add to this a super two player mode and you're talking value for money.



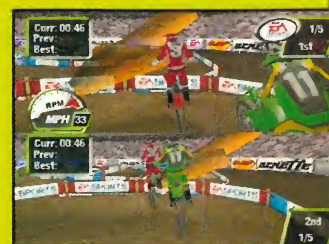
▲ The Single Race mode is ideal for perfecting your riding style.



▲ The Season mode sorts the men from the boys. You'll need to be well tough!



▲ Victory sure tastes good! And winning isn't easy in this game, Nintendooids!



▲ The two player mode's fun, but where are all the other bikes?

Trick style

If getting serious air and pulling pulse racin' tricks is your thing, then you'll love the freestyle mode. You can get creative!

These huge arenas are loaded with massive ramps and jumps. They're ideal for racking up some awesome tricks. Check out our selection of stunts to pull...



Can Can



Cliffhanger



Vert Fender Grab



Cordova



Fender Super Grab



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Saran wrap



Superman



Banzai

Reality calling

This game's based on the US supercross season. All 14 tracks in the tournament are recreated down to the last bump and groove.

On top of the 14 real tracks there are another 11 tracks for you to burn around. These also include three stunt arenas, meaning tons of new tracks to master.



▲ Houston, Texas. Home to steaks and supercross action.



▲ This is the Anaheim track, the first stop on the professional supercross circuit.

SOUNDS The sound of the bikes is annoying to say the least. You'll either love or hate the voices of the commentators. They can be irritating, too!

Tune up

Before you race, there's an option to tune the bikes. Adjustments can be made to acceleration, top speed, shock absorbers and tyres.

This is really useful once you know the courses, as a tweak here and there can mean the difference between first and second place.



◀ Change the setting for either a higher top speed or better acceleration.
▼ Better acceleration means you'll start the race better. Watch 'em go!



Who's who

Unless you're a die hard supercross fan, you probably won't have heard of any of the 25 riders. But they're all in here, from Jeff Emig to Mike LaRocco. All you have to do is take your pick.



▶ Jeff Emig is an ace rider and a great first choice for novice players.

◀ Mike Metzger is the champion of the supercross riders. He's such an awesome biker he doesn't need to put his hands on the handle bars. Look at him go.



Replay heaven

Supercross 2000 has an ace replay mode, where you can watch yer last race.

With heaps of camera angles to choose from, you can freeze frame on yer best trick.



▲ You can change the view. In fact, there are loads of different camera angles to choose from. They're ace!



▲ If you want a real feeling of speed, use the handle bar camera. Try not to get vertigo, though.



▲ It's just like watching the TV. Well, sort of.

Changing courses

One of the great features of Supercross 2000 is the way the courses alter throughout a race. It's a brilliant extra touch, and really makes the game look more realistic!

As the riders cut up the mud, ruts and grooves appear, making riding that bit more difficult. If you get caught in a divert you'll lose your racing line, or worse still, crash. Amazing, or what?



▲ The courses look as smooth as a baby's bottom at the start of a race. You'll have no problems here.



▲ But three laps in and the ruts and grooves have got worse, making riding conditions extremely difficult.

Racin' mates

There's only a two player mode in Supercross 2000, but the good news is it's damn fast! It's just a shame that it's only one against one.

We reckon the best fun is had by playing a two player freestyle trick challenge. Whoever racks up the most tricks within the time limit wins.



▲ The rules are, there are no rules. Just keep doing all the tricks you can.



▲ When you do crash, someone's gonna win and someone's gonna lose.



▲ To win you've got to be really competitive! You can do it, gamer.

GAME LENGTH → The game's hard to master, meaning that you'll keep on coming back for more to improve your skill. You'll be racing for weeks.

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GAME SCORE

Supercross 2000 is a nice looking racer with a realistic feel. Some might find it a pain to control, but it's still a great challenge. The two player mode's OK but it would be better to race other riders, too.

85%

Army Men Sarge's Heroes

Meet the little green men out to save the world from the tan army.

WE SAID "Sarge's Heroes isn't a match for the excellent Goldeneye, but the game still has a lot to offer."

Game Info



Price: **£44.99**
Release: **26th January**



Mini warfare

We've all seen those little green and tan soldiers that our dads used to play with. Now you'll be able play, too. This time, from the comfort of your N64.

Sarge's Heroes are lil' green soldiers, battling against the forces of the fearsome tan army. To beat 'em, you've gotta get hold of some top weapons and dish out a bit of big gun fun. Also included is an ace multiplayer mode for you and your mates!

▼ Sarge gets his rocket launcher out and does a bit of tank bustin'.



◀ Thank God for the air support. Without it, you'd have just been blasted away by those nasty tan soldiers. Now you can just stand back and watch them perish.



▲ Whatever you do, don't get hit by a bazooka, 'cos it'll be curtains. It only takes one shot and you'll be dead meat.

▼ Time to take cover, soldier! Crawl on your belly by pressing twice and get some shelter, or you'll be toast!



LOOKS The levels look quite sparse, and the camera angles can only be described as pants.



The battle grounds

The hero of the game is Sarge. It's his mission to rescue members of the green Bravo company. They've been captured by the tan army, led by General Plastro.

Your first mission takes place in Plastic World where the soldiers appear life sized. Then the action moves to the Real World and your men look really diddy 'n' ickle.

Overall, the levels set in the real world are better. Probably 'cos the idea of being a tiny soldier in places like a kitchen or bathroom is brill. Watch out for the giant rubber duckie!

► Fight your way around the bath tub and capture a spy.



▲ Watch out for the tanks in the Sand Box area. Pick up all the weapons you see!



▲ Time to make a mess in the kitchen. When a tan soldier's in sight, you'll automatically lock onto your target.



▲ In this mission, you've got to save Sharp, the mortar man. It's a tough job, but someone's gotta do it.

Meet the crew

There are nine characters to control and all have different strengths. Like Thick who's a machine gun expert or the minesweeper man, Hoover.

As the game progresses and members of the Bravo Company are freed, they become available for you to use.

► Sarge sure is one tough marine. His mission is to free the rest of his crew. What a hero!



▲ Vicki may look cute, but she's a highly trained killer. Great outfit, though!



▲ Battling in the bogs brings a whole new meaning to the term toilet training.

SOUNDS ► The soundtrack does everything you'd expect it would, without doing it particularly well. Disappointing.

Playing with mates

Games like this wouldn't be complete without a multiplayer mode, and Sarge's Heroes is no exception.

You can play as anyone from the Bravo Company, tan army or the new blue or grey platoons. Let's take a look...



▲ The multiplayer mode is quite good. Again, the camera angle poses a few problems.



▲ It can be tricky finding your opponent, so try to keep one eye on the map.



▲ Things really hot up later when you get access to helicopters. A lot more fun than toy soldiers, eh?

GAME LENGTH ► Not the biggest game in the world. But at least it's got a reasonably decent multiplayer mode.

Gun fun

There's a whole arsenal of weapons to use during your missions, and they're littered around the battle arenas.

The weapons found in Plastic World include flame throwers, grenade launchers, mortars and machine guns. When you play in the Real World you get to use magnifying glasses and spray cans, which add to your fun no end.



▲ The flame thrower is ideal for taking care of a few soldiers at once. They won't recover!



▲ The mortar's useful for destroying the tanks. That's if you can aim it properly.



▲ The M60's a powerful machine gun capable of cutting 'em down from a distance.



▲ The bazooka's great for taking out sentry boxes. And helicopters, as you can see.



▲ Grenades cause wicked explosions. So lob 'em for mucho mayhem.

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GAME SCORE

By no means a classic, Sarge's Heroes is let down by a terrible camera angle that doesn't keep up with the action. This is a shame, as the rest of the game is quite a good laugh. Rent before you buy.

79%

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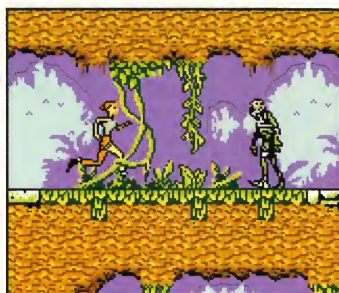
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Dragon Warrior Monsters p42

More monster training
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The greatest dino slayer
blasts back on GB Color



There's a new kid on the block, trying to steal cute lil' Pikachu's thunder ►

Monster battle

The Dragon Warrior Monsters are hoping to steal Pokémon's crown. But can they punish Pikachu and scupper Squirtle...?



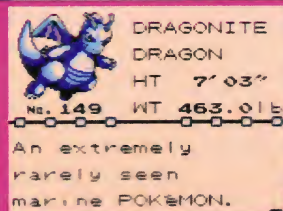
Head to Head

Dragon Warrior Monsters is a mixture of beastie battling and RPG adventures, much like Pokémon.

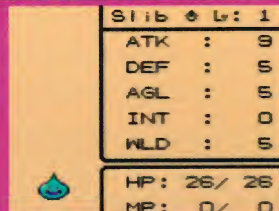
You play as Terry, and you must train your monsters to learn special skills. Sound familiar? Let's compare them...



Number of monsters...



Pokémon Pokémon features 150 monsters, and a secret cutie, Mew, who's number 151. To get a full set, you must link up with mates to get beasties from the other version.

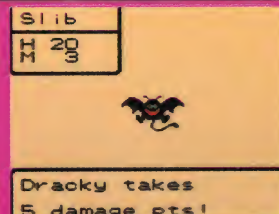


DWM This game features a stonkin' 215 species of critters, and you can breed 'em in 46,010 different combinations! That's a whole heap of monsters to get!

Catching monsters...

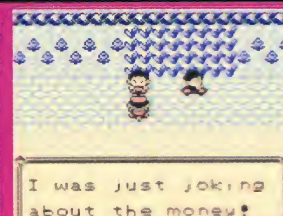


Pokémon Wild Pokémon battles, not Trainer battles, are against single creatures. So you always know when you're in with a chance of catching the exact monster you want.



DWM Terry battles monster teams. He can only ask creatures to join his squad after winning a battle. Only the last one defeated can be recruited so he doesn't always get the freak he wants.

Worlds to explore...



Pokémon Although the levels in Pokémon are absolutely HUGE, the towns and villages in Pokémon always stay the same. This can get quite boring if you're out on the road again, trying to train up a whole new squad of weak Pokémon.



DWM The worlds in Dragon Warrior Monsters are never the same. The areas behind game doors are generated randomly, so Terry has different adventures each time he explores the Mystic World. Pretty amazing, wouldn't you agree?

And the winner is...

Although **Dragon Warrior Monsters** is an excellent game, **Pokémon** still rules. With a cartoon series, trading cards, N64 games and wicked toys to back it up, **Pokémon's** more than a game... it's a way of life! Nothing can beat our Pikachu!



Out now in COLOR

Are you hungry for more mini gaming on the go? Then feast your eyes on this collection of the latest Game Boy titles, Nintendoids...



Dragon Warrior Monsters

By Eidos Price £24.99 Game Link ✓

What it's about The GB Color's newest mega monster adventure. Use all your creature catching skills to rescue your sister, nabbed by nasty ol' Warubou.

How it plays With over 200 monsters to find, you'll play for ages before you're a Master.



*:Hmm. You want to win the tournament



Slab DK
H 5 H 11
M 0 M 17



Anteater takes 5 damage pts!

What you do Take control of Terry and travel the Kingdom of Great Tree, collecting monsters and training 'em up. Build a team and enter the Starry Night Tournament to save yer sister. Battle mates with the Game Link, too.

We think If you're after an excellent alternative to Pokémon, Dragon Warrior Monsters is well worth checking out. Finding all the creatures will take ages and battling your friends is top. **GAME SCORE 90%**

Evel Knievel

Price £24.99 Game Link ✗

What it's about Rev up your bike and hit breakneck speed on some ace twisting, turning stunt tracks.

What you do Leap over jumps without busting your bones.



We think Controlling your bike takes time, but you'll be flying once it's mastered. Great stunt track fun. **GAME SCORE 83%**

Turok: Rage Wars

Price £24.99 Game Link ✗

What it's about Save the world from nasty dinosoids. Get into their secret bases to halt their plans.

What you do Fight across four planets, with guns 'n' missiles.



We think This is a fun adventure and a great laugh to play. Could be a little bit too easy, though. **GAME SCORE 82%**



Bounced

Price £24.99 Game Link X

What it's about The Dit Balls have been hit by a nasty force field. Travel the world to destroy it.

What you do Bounce off bad balls to reach the exit of different worlds.



We think The game looks basic and the puzzling action becomes a bit frustrating after just a few plays.

GAME SCORE 68%

Taz Devil

Price £19.99 Game Link X

What it's about Save your buddy, Wendal T Wolf, before he gets turned into a Hollywood star.

What you do Bash baddies and get fruit as you race to rescue your pal.



We think Older gamers will be switching off after a few goes. Younger Nintendooids will like it.

GAME SCORE 78%



Ms Pac Man Special Colour Edition

By Acclaim Price £24.99 Game Link X

What it's about Get set to go ghost goblin' once again with two classic, golden oldie titles on one cart, Ms Pac Man and Super Pac Man.

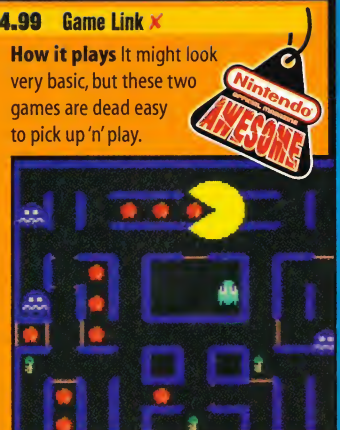
How it plays It might look very basic, but these two games are dead easy to pick up 'n' play.



What do you do Scoff all the dots and dodge the ghouls. Chow down on the fruit for mega bonus points. In Super Pac Man, unlock the gates to reach the grub inside. Then find those Super Power Pellets to become huge.

We think For two of the most fast 'n' furious games to hit the Game Boy this year, look no further than this. We guarantee that you'll be addicted straight away. An essential purchase.

GAME SCORE 91%



Space Invaders

Price £19.99 Game Link X

What it's about Blow alien ships to pieces and dodge enemy missiles in this updated classic space shooter.

What you do Just keep on shooting. Hit UFOs for cool power ups.



We think It may be an old game, but Space Invaders is still an ace shoot 'em up. Worth a look.

GAME SCORE 86%

Mr Nutz

Price £19.99 Game Link X

What's it about Play as Mr Nutz, a super squirrel. Stop the Yeti from making Earth a frozen kingdom.

What you do Pick up magic coins and chuck acorns at creepy crawlies.



We think Younger gamers will love this platformer, but older players will have it licked in no time at all.

GAME SCORE 81%



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Find out what people have been renting

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Keep an eye on the bargain bins for these N64 oldies



Get
£5 off
N64 games
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Look out for the new games shown in blue. These are the very latest N64 releases. Now they're much easier to find.

How do they score?

- 0-44 Real rubbish
- 45-64 Still not worth playing
- 65-79 Nothing too special
- 80-89 Pretty good, but not great
- 90-100 Amazing game you must play!


AWESOME

Our Awesome award is only given to games we love and think you really must play. It's only ever given to games that score over 90%.



OUR TOTAL TEST SCORES

We change our scores for older games when new ones come out that are better than 'em. It means that this is the most up to date guide, because you'll always know what's the best game right now.



▲ Resident Evil 2 may well be the goriest blood fest ever seen on the N64. Check out how it scored on p52

◀ Quick flick! Look who's swinging onto your N64. Check out Tarzan on p16

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Gotta get 'em

Got money to spend that's burning a hole in your pocket? Or can't afford a game right now? Here's what you can buy and when!

Get it now!



Resident Evil 2

■ £44.99 ■ January

Scarer than anything else on the N64. Definitely not for the weak hearted.

Next month...



Toy Story 2

■ £49.99 ■ March

This wicked tie in game looks set to be as much fun as the film. One to watch.

In 2 months...



Perfect Dark

■ £44.99 ■ April

Quite simply the most anticipated title of 2000. When you play it, you'll see why.

In 4 months...



Pokémon Stadium

■ £44.99 ■ June

Bring all your favourite lil' critters to life in this N64 Pokémon extravaganza.

In 6 months...



Turok 3

■ £44.99 ■ August

Prepare for another slice of Turok action. Bound to be full of guns and nasties.

AERO GAUGE

41%



Players 1-2 £49.99

Creaky racer. Few tracks. Bettered by F-Zero X.

ALL STAR TENNIS

70%



Players 1-4 £44.99

First tennis game on the '64, but hardly an ace.

ALL STAR BASEBALL 99

90%



● £39.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Take to the plate. Hit home runs. Pitch a curve ball. Strike out.

How it plays Set difficulty to rookie.

Smack baseballs outta the ballpark.

What we think Not just for baseball fans. Looks the business. Plays a dream.

ALL STAR BASEBALL 2000

90%



● £39.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Mix yer pitches to confuse yer mates. Hit home runs and win.

How it plays Get batting sorted, you'll lurve it. Have yer mate swinging at thin air.

What we think Eye poppingly good looking. One swing and you'll be hooked.

ARMORINES

88%



Players 1-4 £39.99

A top quality blastathon from start to finish.

BANJO KAZOOIE

96%



● £29.99

● Players 1

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Play as Banjo and Kazooie. Explore Grunty's Lair. Adventure.

How it plays Single player heaven. Wander through huge levels. Bash baddies.

What we think Loads to do. Takes ages to finish. Brilliant mini games. You'll love it.

BASS HUNTER 64

70%



Players 1 £39.99

Fun for fishin' fans, but most Nintendoids will find it dull.

BEETLE ADVENTURE RACING

91%



● £44.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Big, bad, Volkswagen Beetle racing across loadsa slick tracks.

How it plays Cool, handles well, and a good laugh. Single player tracks are tops.

What we think Came out of the blue, but what a top racing game. Buggin' brill.

BLAST CORPS

81%



Players 1 £29.99

Smash buildings 'n' stuff. Hard to get into, but fun.

BODY HARVEST

88%



Players 1 £44.99

Shooter. Puzzler. Squash big bugs. Good in parts.

BOMBERMAN 64

68%



Players 1-4 £49.99

Blow stuff up in 3D world. Not a patch on the original.

BOMBERMAN HERO

68%



Players 1-2 £44.99

Return of B'man in sequel every bit as average as first.

BUCK BUMBLE

84%



Players 1-2 £49.99

Shoot 'em up, but different. Be a bee. Fun 'n' challenging.

BUST A MOVE 2

81%



Players 1-2 £39.99

Cute gaming fun. Bust bubbles against monsters.

BUST A MOVE 3

85%



Players 1-4 £39.99

Puzzler more addictive than Skittles. Sweeter, too.

CARMAGEDDON 64

58%



Players 1-2 £39.99

How can running down zombies be so boring?

CASTLEVANIA

86%



Players 1 £39.99

Cool and atmospheric vampire huntin' adventure.

CHAMELEON TWIST 2

67%



Players 1 £39.99

More platform hoppin', tongue lashin' rubbish.

CHARLIE BLAST

78%



Players 1-4 £34.99

Boombastic blastin' puzzler. Bomb the crap outta stuff.

COMMAND & CONQUER

86%



Players 1 £44.99

N64 strategy game. Great fun, but no multiplayer.

CRUIS'N USA

54%



Players 1-2 £29.99

No challenge racer. Finish first go. Awful music.

CRUIS'N WORLD

83%



Players 1-4 £39.99

Racer miles ahead of Cruis'n original. Ace courses.

DESTRUCTION DERBY

84%



Players 1-4 £44.99

Ace, car bashin' mayhem, with cool multiplayer mode.

DIDDY KONG RACING

92%



● £39.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Land, sea and air racing with Diddy and Nintendo favourites.

How it plays Beats Mario Kart hands down in one player. Hours of top single fun.

What we think Awesome. Easy to play. Multiplayer not as good as Mario Kart 64.

DOOM 64

78%



Players 1 £49.99

Vicious blaster. Original corridor death dealer.

DONKEY KONG 64

96%



● £59.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Big ol' DK's back, in his biggest adventure ever. And it rocks!

How it plays Loads of variety, with amazing mini games and ace multiplayer.

What we think You MUST own this game! It's the world's best platformer.

DUKE NUKEM 64

86%



Players 1-4 £49.99

Original PC game, still has a lot of class. Cool multiplay.

DUKE NUKEM ZERO HOUR

92%



● £49.99

● Players 1-4

Exp Pak ✓

Memory Pak ✓

Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Time travellin', huge hardware totin', six gun twirlin' shoot 'em up.

How it plays It ain't just shooting. Travel through time and save the universe.

What we think Brilliant sequel to top original. A must have for blaster addicts.

EARTHWORM JIM 3D

81%



Players 1 £44.99

Jim's back, as mad as ever. Fun, but could've been better.



We've tested all these Rumble Paks



Vibra Pak

This see thru Pak looks cool when slammed into an N64 controller. It rumbles the light fantastic.

- Wild Things
- £9.99



Jolt Pak

A dead cheap tremor Pak for yer cash. It does need batteries, but it still rumbles pretty well.

- Blaze
- £6.99



664 Tremor Pak + memory

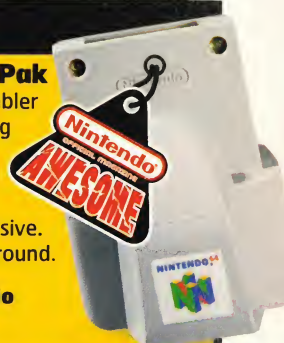
This 'un doesn't need batteries. Plug 'n' play.

- Gamester
- £14.99

Rumble Pak

Classic rumbler from the Big N. Makes any game feel loads more explosive. Best Pak around.

- Nintendo
- £14.99



Vibration + 1 meg memory

A real steal at the price. Comes with a built in Memory Pak. And it works really well, too.

- Logic 3
- £11.99



Shockwave

The Shockwave's a good rumbler with loads of memory. But at £19.99, it's one of the most expensive Paks around.

- Datel
- £19.99



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Adjustable vibration control and memory storage make this an excellent all round tremor Pak.

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One of the best rumblers. Rechargeable, too, so never run out of batteries.

- Joytech
- £14.99



Best of the rest

EXTREME G

80%



Players 1-4 £49.99
Future bike racer. Graphics are great. Power ups, pants.

FIGHTERS DESTINY

85%



Players 1-2 £44.99
Scraper. Special moves and throws earn points. Fun.

GAUNTLET LEGENDS

83%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Arcade classic. Hack'n'slash in this four player adventure.

HOT WHEELS

69%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Boring racer which looks dodgy beside Roadsters.

F1 WORLD GRAND PRIX

87%



Players 1-2 £29.99
Gorgeous looking, smooth playing F1 sim. Pure class.

FLYING DRAGON

71%



Players 1-2 £44.99
Silly and serious scraper. Looks ace, plays average.

GASP

68%



Players 1-2 £49.99
Create a fighter. Take to the arena with yer punchy pal.

HYBRID HEAVEN

80%



Players 1-2 £44.99
Sci-fi alien battle. Slow, but picks up later. Rent it.

F1 POLE POSITION

62%



Players 1-2 £54.99
Too slow. Jerky screen ruins cornering. WGP II's better.

FORSAKEN

90%



● £49.99
● **Players 1-4**
● Exp Pak ✓
● Memory Pak ✓
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Fight bounty hunters. Zoom round moody levels on flying bikes.
How it plays Loads of levels. Takes ages to finish. Cool special routes like Lylat Wars.
What we think Takes time to control properly. Looks stunning. Ace weapons.

GLOVER

85%



Players 1 £39.99
Cute platform adventure. Play as a glove. Roll balls.

ISS 64

91%



● £34.99
● **Players 1-4**
● Exp Pak ✓
● Memory Pak ✓
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Arcade football. Play in a cup, league or penalty shoot out.
How it plays Like watching a real game. Sucks you in. Hard to beat. Multiplay rocks.
What we think Easy to get into. Loads of tricks to learn. Plays like a dream.

FIFA 98 RTWC

84%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Classy footy title. Kept fans happy 'til World Cup 98.

F1 WORLD GRAND PRIX II 90%



● £39.99
● **Players 1-2**
● Exp Pak ✗
● Memory Pak ✗
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about More Formula 1 thrills as you thrash the 98 season in yer cool motor.
How it plays Smooth and exciting. Handles, looks and plays better than ever.
What we think The best Formula 1 racer on the shelves. If you love it, get this.

40 WINKS

88%



Players 1-2 £49.99
Cool, Mario style platformer, with fun multiplayer.

F-ZERO X

92%



● £29.99
● **Players 1-4**
● Exp Pak ✗
● Memory Pak ✗
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Fly through millions of tracks in yer zero friction ship.
How it plays Play for five minutes, you'll have to be surgically removed from yer '64!
What we think Fantastic future racer. You'll be playing 'til yer eyes bleed.

GOLDENEYE 007

94%



● £29.99
● **Players 1-4**
● Exp Pak ✗
● Memory Pak ✗
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Play James Bond 007 in shooter based on movie. Tense and realistic.
How it plays Perhaps best playability of any N64 game. And multiplay's amazing.
What we think Best shoot 'em up ever. You must get it. Be playing for years. Buy it!

IGGY'S RECKIN' BALLS

83%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Mental race game. Strange balls compete in races.

KILLER INSTINCT GOLD

76%



Players 1-2 £54.99
Rock hard characters. Massive combos. But dated.

FIFA 99

90%



● £49.99
● **Players 1-4**
● Exp Pak ✗
● Memory Pak ✓
● Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about FIFA set up goes on and on with another solid footy sim.
How it plays High on style and playability. With a few nice new touches.
What we think Top quality sim. Best ever FIFA game. Top class! Shoots and scores.

GEX 64

78%



Players 1 £49.99
Platformer not as cute or as playable as Banjo.

HEXEN 64

50%



Players 1-4 £49.99
A challenge if you can handle poor graphics.

HOLY MAGIC CENTURY

84%



Players 1 £49.99
True RPG. Stroll around Celtland and save everyone.

KNIFE EDGE

75%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Coin op style blaster. Looks cool, but misses the target.

KNOCKOUT KINGS

87%



Players 1-2 £44.99
First N64 boxing title packs a punch. Fight the top pros.

LAMBORGHINI 76%

Players 1-2 £49.99
Fast action. Not a lot more. Should have 'L' plate on box.

ISS 98 93%

• £39.99
• Players 1-4
• Exp Pak ✓
• Memory Pak ✓
• Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Return of one of the '64's fave footy games. Play the world and win.
How it plays The reason you bought yer '64. Best there is. Superb action.
What we think Same only better. Cool moves. Superb gameplay. The best!

JET FORCE GEMINI 93%

• £49.99
• Players 1-4
• Exp Pak ✓
• Memory Pak ✓
• Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about The JFG team must defeat Mizar and his huge ant army.
How it plays Incredible shoot 'em up. Loads a gun totin' action. Awesome gameplay.
What we think You won't stop 'til you've completed it. Great variety. Cool Multiplayer.

LEGO RACERS 80%

Players 1-2 £39.99
Quality kiddy racer. You'll soon have it licked, though.

LODE RUNNER 54%

Players 1 £39.99
Retro space puzzler. Should have been left well alone.

LYLATWARS 90%

• £29.99
• Players 1-4
• Exp Pak ✗
• Memory Pak ✗
• Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Space shooter. Blast loads a ships. Control spacecraft and tanks.
How it plays Ace sci-fi game. Top levels. Huge aliens and end bosses. Looks the biz.
What we think Lush levels. Movie feel. Loads of secrets and sly routes. Top power ups.

We've tested these Memory Paks

8 Meg Memory Card

● Blaze
● £14.99
Tons and tons of ace storage space.

Memory Card

● Logic 3
● 256K, £2.99
● 1 Meg, £5.99
Very well priced memory cards. What a bargain!

Memory Card

● Performance
● 1 Meg
● £14.99
A good little saver, but a bit expensive.

1 and 4 Meg Memory

● Dattel
● 1 Meg, £7.99
● 4 Meg, £14.99
● 8 Meg, £24.99
Expensive Paks, but they never fail.

Ultra 64

● Blaze
● 256K £5.99
● 1 Meg £7.99
A nice 'n' reliable memory pak. Not badly priced.

Memory card

● Gamester
● 256K £4.99
● 1 Meg £7.99
Reliable, and loads a memory too!

Best of the rest

1 Meg card

● Joytech ● £9.99
Good value card.

Nintendo Controller Pak

● 256K, ● £14.99
A solid, quality Pak from the Big N. It's Nintendo, it's the best. Nuff said.

MADDEN FOOTBALL 64 86%

Players 1-4 £39.99
American footy sim with loads a stats and options.

MARIO GOLF 90%

• £39.99
• Players 1-4
• Exp Pak ✗
• Memory Pak ✗
• Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about It's golf with the Nintendo superstars and loads a cool surprises.
How it plays This golf game's for everyone. Easy to get into. Difficult to master.
What we think Brilliant golf game, colourful and creative. Scores a hole in one.

MARIO KART 64 90%

• £29.99
• Players 1-4
• Exp Pak ✗
• Memory Pak ✗
• Rumble Pak ✗

What's it about Awesome remake of one of the best games ever. Totally brilliant.
How it plays Best times to beat. Still one of the best multiplayer games on the N64.
What we think Ace four player. Cute 'n' colourful. Brilliant characters. Top playability.

MARIO PARTY 85%

Players 1-4 £44.99
Board game starring yer fave Nintendo heroes.

MAGICAL TETRIS CHALLENGE 71%

Players 1-2 £39.99
Another Tetris game. Lacks the usual Disney magic.

MICRO MACHINES 87%

Players 1-8 £39.99
Ickle racers tackle hooge courses. Multiplay's ace.

MILO'S ASTRO LANES 52%

Players 1-4 £39.99
Space age bowling game that strikes itself out.

MICHAEL OWEN'S WLS 80%

Players 1-4 £44.99
Ace footballer, slightly disappointing game.

MISCHIEF MAKERS 74%

Players 1 £29.99
Weird, cutesy mix of puzzles 'n' 2D platform action.

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE 81%

Players 1 £39.99
Spy adventure. Agents crack puzzles, search levels.

MORTAL KOMBAT 4 90%

• £39.99
• Players 1-15
• Exp Pak ✗
• Memory Pak ✗
• Rumble Pak ✓

What's it about Return of the most famous beat 'em up. And what a comeback!
How it plays Loads a challenges. Scrap yer way through and face the evil Shinnok.
What we think Forgive MK its dire past. It's released a beat 'em up worthy of the '64.

MK MYTHOLOGIES 36%

Players 1 £49.99
Truly bad game snuck out 'cos gamers wanted MK.

MONACO GP 86%

Players 1-2 £49.99
Burn rubber in top F1 racing sim. But F1 WGP II takes flag.

MONSTER TRUCK MADNESS 61%

Players 1-4 £39.99
Race trucks with huge tyres. Foggy tracks, poor handling.

MULTI RACING CHAMPIONSHIP 70%

Players 1-2 £49.99
Three tracks and a mirror mode to thrash... snore.

Lookin' for a... Ball game?

Whether it be smashing a football in a net, or slam dunkin' a hoop, we just love ball games. It's the competitive spirit in us! If you like ball games too, why not check out these five sporting beauties...

► **Mario Golf**
Mario and the gang deliver more fun than you'd ever imagine from a golf game. Get swingin'!
▼ **FIFA 99**
The best ever FIFA game. Excellent moves and instant playability.



▲ **ISS 98**
Unbeatable gameplay and scorching good looks.



▲ **NFL Quarterback Club**
Simply the best American Football game your dosh can buy.



► **All Star Baseball 2000**
Baseball made easy and exciting. Great looks and superb control.





Wicked Wheels

With the right set of wheels, racing games'll be ace. But make sure you choose wisely, 'cos they're loadsa dosh...

Best of the rest

Formula Race Pro

● **Thrustmaster** ● £49.99
Excellent wheel. Sits snugly on yer knees and responds like a real car. Pedals and a nifty gear stick, too. It may not look the most impressive, but don't be put off. This wheel will get you racin' round the tightest bends.

G64 Steering Wheel

● **Gamester** ● £59.99
New steerer with rounded wheel. Rumbles, too. One of the best.

ASCIIWHEEL

● **ASCII** ● £39.99
Plays better than it looks. Handles well, response okay. No foot pedals. C-Buttons in centre, so hard to get at quickly.

V3 FX Racing Wheel

● **Interact** ● £59.99
A high quality wheel. Now it rumbles.

Ultra Racer 64

● **Interact** ● £19.99
Wheel with a difference. Hold it in one hand. Handles well.

Vortex Wheel

● **Interact** ● £49.99
Looks weird. Moves through 360 degrees. Also works in 2D. Very useful.

N64 wheel

● **Madcatz** ● £49.99
Looks snazzy, but buttons a bit cheap. Cool force pak for loadsa rumblin' fun. It even comes with a gear stick.

Top Drive Plus

● **Logic 3** ● £59.99
Superb handling. Has built in rumble. Digital and analogue easy to reach buttons and the sturdy gearshift makes this a real winner. Leather wheel's got a nice feel as well!

Race 64 Compact

● **Guillemot** ● £49.99
Very good response. You can clamp it to a table. An ace racing wheel for yer cash.

MYSTICAL NINJA

88%



● **Players 1** ● £49.99
Mario meets roleplay in a loopy game. Worth a look.

NBA PRO 98

79%



● **Players 1-4** ● £49.99
Dated b'ball showing its age. Was best at the time.

NFL QUARTERBACK CLUB 99

90%



● £39.99
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✗
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Most probably the best American footy game on the N64.
How it plays Make it all the way to the Superbowl. Four of you go head to head.
What we think It looks just like you're watching it on TV, it's that cool.

PREMIER MANAGER 64

90%

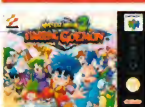


● £39.99
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✗
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✗

What's it about Take yer team to the top of the league. And it's all yer own work.
How it plays It's not all stat spotting. Watch the matches live.
What we think We've waited ages for a footy management sim. And this is just right.

MYSTICAL NINJA 2

80%



● **Players 1-2** ● £44.99
Cool 2D ninja adventure. Loadsa fun play styles.

NBA PRO 99

82%



● **Players 1-4** ● £44.99
Nothin' special b'ball sim. Fair, but there's better.

NBA COURTSIDE

89%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
Slam dunk action on yer '64. Brilliant gameplay.

NFL QUARTERBACK CLUB 2000

80%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
Best American Footy sim takes a backwards step.

NHL PRO 99

77%



● **Players 1-4** ● £44.99
Mostly pants puck pusher. For serious rink freaks only.

QUAKE

88%



● **Players 1-2** ● £49.99
Superb frag fest. Genuinely creepy and huge!

NBA LIVE 2000

86%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
Frantic gameplay and loadsa playing options.

NHL 99

85%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
More slippery stuff. Fans'll freak. Others won't get it.

OFF ROAD CHALLENGE

68%



● **Players 1-2** ● £49.99
Off road in chunky trucks. Ain't gonna light up yer '64.

QUAKE II

91%



● £42.99
● **Players 1-2**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Big guns. Beasts. Blazin'. Only this time in space.
How it plays Brilliant. Smooth, looks well cool and plays a dream. Real quality.
What we think Bit of a no brainer, but if fragging's yer thing, you'll lurve it.

NBA JAM 99

89%



● **Players 1-4** ● £44.99
B'ball sim. Not as bonkers as we expected. Solid game.

NFL QUARTERBACK CLUB 98

90%



● £49.99
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✗
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Scrap in the Superbowl or just play normal American footy.
How it plays Win a season. Awesome four player. Score touchdowns. Batter friends.
What we think Among the best looking American footy games you can get.

NBA JAM 2000

77%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
Doesn't hold any surprises for long time Jam fans.

OLYMPIC HOCKEY

79%



● **Players 1-4** ● £49.99
Nothin' ice hockey sim. Great for four, two a side war.

PENNY RACERS

68%



● **Players 1-4** ● £39.99
Cutesy racer left standing by old timer Mario Kart 64.

RAKUGA KIDS

79%



● **Players 1-2** ● £49.99
Bonkers but cool, toon crayon beat 'em up.

NBA LIVE 99

80%



● **Players 1-4** ● £49.99
Slam 'n' jam, dribble 'n' shoot. Not a stand out game.

NHL BREAKAWAY 98

88%



● **Players 1-4** ● £49.99
Serious ice hockey sim. Content's massive. Tactical.

PILOTWINGS 64

84%



● **Players 1** ● £39.99
Fly aircraft around beautiful islands. Do tricks 'n' stuff.

RAINBOW SIX

79%



● **Players 1** ● £44.99
Control soldiers in tense missions. Worth a rent.

Sales Chart

Not only is Electronics Boutique giving us the red hot N64 top ten, the company's also giving every NOM reader a fiver off any of these games!

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RAMPAGE 48%



Players 1-3 £44.99

Pointless button basher. Smash stuff, put it away.

RAMPAGE 2 50%



Players 1-3 £44.99

More button bashing, city chompin' misery.

RAT ATTACK 82%



Players 1-4 £39.99

Cool cats catch rats. Good graphics. Dodgy cameras.

ROCKET - ROBOT ON WHEELS 90%



£39.99

Players 1

Exp Pak ☒

Memory Pak ☒

Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about? Play as a cute robot. Reopen Whoopie World amusement park.
How it plays Amazing controls. Huge worlds with brilliant detail. Clever puzzles.
What we think A first rate platformer. Full of original touches and tough gameplay.

ROBOTRON 64 80%



Players 1 £54.99

All action blaster. About a million levels. Will you care?

ROADSTERS 88%



Players 1-4 £39.99

Ace N64 racer. Awesome graphics and fast gameplay

RAYMAN 2 91%



£44.99

Players 1


Exp Pak ☒

Memory Pak ☒

Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Space pirates have kidnapped Rayman's mates. Wipe out nasties.
How it plays Awesome gameplay with cool, colourful characters. Top stuff.
What we think This adventure's a beauty. Will keep you padlocked to yer N64.

READY 2 RUMBLE 84%



Players 1-2 £39.99

Just for fun boxing game with wacky looking boxers.

RESIDENT EVIL 2 94%



£44.99

Players 1

Exp Pak ☒

Memory Pak ☒

Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about? Save a city from zombies. Solve puzzles, cap undead ass.
How it plays Controls take a bit of getting used to, but it's an ace scare fest.
What we think Looks unbelievable. Exciting and scary with buckets of blood.

RE-VOLT 82%



Players 1-2 £44.99

Remote controlled racing around hooge tracks.

ROAD RASH 81%



Players 1-4 £39.99

Fun racer where you knock other riders off their bikes.

of the best...

If you're in the market for an N64 game, then check out these hot titles. They're the pick of the bunch...

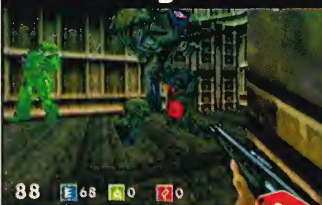
Donkey Kong 64



▲ Another slice of Rare magic with Kong and the crew. Serious monkey business.

£59.99

Turok Rage Wars



▲ Blast 'em ups don't get any better. Designed for monster multiplayer.

£39.99

Resident Evil 2



▲ It's gun in hand time as undead take over an American city. Very scary.

£44.99

Wrestlemania 2000



▲ Men in tights get physical, both in and out of the ring. Full of WWF attitude.

£49.99

Rocket



▲ Rocket's got loadsa addictive platform fun. A really original challenge.

£39.99

Rental Chart

N64 UK Chart

BLOCKBUSTER

- 1 Super Smash Bros.
- 2 Jet Force Gemini
- 3 Rugrats
- 4 Mario Kart 64
- 5 South Park
- 6 Michael Owen's WLS
- 7 Mario Golf
- 8 Micro Machines 64
- 9 Quake II
- 10 FIFA 99

Cool rentals

N64 games ain't cheap, so try and rent 'em out before you go wasting your money.



N64 Joypads We've tested all these pads out

Nintendo's official pad rules, though others work better in fighting or shooting games.



664 Controller
● Gamester
● £14.99

Comes in grey, black or clear with red, blue or green circuit boards. Cool, but doesn't feel as nice as the official.



Official N64 controller
● Nintendo ●
● £19.99

They invented it. It's the best. And now it's much cheaper! You'll have no complaints with this.



Mirage

● Wild Things ● £17.99

Ace joypad. Feels nice 'n' chunky. Excellent control from the 3D Stick and D-pad.



Hyper Pad Plus

● Blaze
● £14.99

Comes with adjustable handles for all hand sizes. Buttons are a bit sticky. But a solid controller overall.

New

Sharkpad Pro

● Interact
● £22.99

Good for platform games, but an average pad overall. And a bit pricey. Look for the Superpad... it's a much better option.



StingRay 64

● Thrustmaster
● £19.99

Looks good, but the 3D Stick spins and slips off yer thumb. The D-pad is also raised which causes a few problems. Much better options to choose from.



Manta Ray

● Nu Gen ● £19.99

The controller looks the biz and it plays better than most. If only this handled as good as it looked, it would definitely be the best on the market.



Best of the rest

Trilogy 64

● Guillemot
● £19.99

It's all in the box, so you get a controller, Rumble Pak and a Memory Pak. Good value package.



6T4

● Logic 3
● £17.99

Looks really cool. The 3D Stick works brilliantly, too. A really top notch controller for you to spend your cash on.



ROGUE SQUADRON 90%

● £44.99
● Players 1
● Chart 1
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Star Wars adventure. Play as Luke Skywalker and fly X-wings.
How it plays Pilot yer craft through loadsa missions. Blast the Empire to atoms.
What we think In another universe to Shadows. Feel the Force, it rocks.

SHADOW MAN 93%

● £49.99
● Players 1
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Voodoo action 'n' black magic. The scariest N64 game around.
How it plays A cross between Zelda and a horror movie. Adventure thrills, with chills.
What we think Not for younger players, but a brilliant fright fest for older Nintendoids.

SOUTH PARK 90%

● £49.99
● Players 1-4
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Burpin', fartin', swearin' shoot 'em up. Save SP from mutant turkeys.
How it plays You'll go wild for the South Park world. And it's big. Cool multiplayer blast.
What we think Brilliantly done. It's exactly like you're playing in the cartoon.

SUPER MARIO 64 92%

● £29.99
● 1 Player
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about The ultimate Mario platformer. Loads of secrets. Sub games.
How it plays Mouth gapingly good. The gameplay'll keep you coming back for more.
What we think Amazing. Loaded with secret areas and puzzles. Pure N64 gold.

RUGRATS TREASURE HUNT 57%

● Players 1-4
● £39.99
● Terrible board game for kids. Go for Mario Party.

SILICON VALLEY 82%

● Players 1
● £49.99
● Puzzler years in making. Not as good as it should've been.

STARSHOT 75%

● Players 1
● £39.99
● Play as Starshot, finding acts for future circus.

SUPER SMASH BROS 90%

● £44.99
● Players 1-4
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about? Nintendo all stars bash the living daylight out of each other.
How it plays Goes like an absolute dream. Fast, fluid and frisky knockabout laffs.
What we think The best beat 'em up money can buy on the N64. Guaranteed.

RUSH 2 74%

● Players 1-2
● £49.99
● Dire follow up to poo racer. Crash, crash and crash.

1080° SNOWBOARDING 90%

● £29.99
● Players 1-2
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Snowboard down the best looking slopes ever seen on a console.
How it plays Fiendishly tricky courses. Race yer mate down your choice of slope.
What we think Gameplay's tops, looks gorge and it's, like, totally radical, dude!

STAR WARS EPISODE 1 RACER 90%

● £49.99
● Players 1-2
● Exp Pak ☒
● Memory Pak ☒
● Rumble Pak ☒

What's it about Super fast future racer based on new Star Wars movie.
How it plays Plays just like the film. Race yer wicked pod across Star Wars worlds.
What we think Another top class SW title, but a racing game for anyone.

SAN FRAN RUSH 74%

● Players 1-2
● £49.99
● Annoying. Sluggish control and badly designed tracks.

SNOWBOARD KIDS 81%

● Players 1-4
● £29.99
● Boarder. Cute alternative to 1080°, only not as good.

SUPERMAN 49%

● Players 1-4
● £44.99
● Super disappointing, super pants, super flop.

THE NEW TETRIS 74%

● Players 1-4
● £34.99
● Superb on Game Boy, not so great on N64. Shame!

SCARS 84%

● Players 1-4
● £44.99
● Crazy animal based motors battle it out on huge tracks.

SOUTH PARK - CHEF'S LUV SHACK 87%

● Players 1-4
● £39.99
● Madcap trivia quiz with all your favourite characters.

TETRISPERH 83%

● Players 1-2
● £29.99
● 3D Tetris battling block shuffler. Tough challenge.

TOP GEAR OVERDRIVE 85%

● Players 1-4
● £44.99
● Not the '64's best racer. But gets the adrenaline pumpin'.

SHADOWS OF THE EMPIRE 74%

● Players 1
● £39.99
● Mixed bag of play styles. Only for true Jedi Knights.

TOP GEAR RALLY 85%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Well rounded driving game. Loads cars and set ups.

TUROK RAGE WARS 93%



● **£39.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about The latest Turok game, specially made for multiplayer action.
How it plays Easy to control, with loads levels. Monsters to make you poo yer pants!
What we think One of the best Turok games, especially when your mates join in.

TUROK 87%



Players 1 £39.99
Dino blazin' mayhem. Blood drenched and well scary.

TUROK 2 SEEDS OF EVIL 94%



● **£39.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Return of one of the N64's best shoot 'em ups. Watch blood splash.
How it plays This game is huge. There's deathmatch, team and chimpy Flag Tag mode.
What we think Big improvement on original. Looks ace with N64 Expansion Pak.

TWISTED EDGE 78%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Strap on yer snowboard and hit the slopes. Or play 1080°.

VIGILANTE 8 83%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Four wheeled retro blaster. Cool car crashin' bonanza.

VIRTUAL CHESS 64%



Players 1-2 £49.99
Chess fans'll love it. Others will just wonder why.

VIRTUAL POOL 70%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Pool in yer front room. Rack 'em and smack 'em. Rent.

V RALLY EDITION 99 90%



● **£39.99**
● **Players 1-2**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Thrashing yer hot rally rod around dirt tracks the world over.
How it plays Tricky handling takes a lot of gettin' used to. You'll either love or loathe.
What we think Get to grips with the unforgiving racing style and you'll be hooked.

WAIALAE GOLF 64%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Have a nice round of golf. Press **A** all afternoon.

WAVE RACE 64 80%



Players 1-2 £29.99
Ride super powered jet skis round water courses. Cool.

WAYNE GRETZKY'S 3D HOCKEY 98 81%



Players 1-4 £44.99
More serious than the original, but still good fun.

WCW MAYHEM 70%



Players 1-4 £39.99
Second division wrestler with poor graphics.

WCW VS NWO 86%



Players 1-4 £49.99
Big men in silly outfits beat the hell out of each other.

WCW/NWO REVENGE 90%



● **£39.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Return of the wrestlin', pummelling, ring leaders. Men in tights.
How it plays Make your opponents eat canvas. Usual wrestling giggle.
What we think Solid sequel. Graphics sharper, gameplay better and fun's still there.

WETRIX 88%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Make lakes, earn points and big bonuses. Super playable.

WIPEOUT 64 87%



Players 1-4 £44.99
GreyStation crossover, but still a cool future racer.

WORMS ARMAGEDDON 83%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Strategy puzzler where you command Worm armies.

WORLD CUP 98 90%



● **£39.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Official footy game for the World Cup. Play as real England team.
How it plays Easy on Amateur. Gameplay brill. Play as England, kick Argentina's butt.
What we think Much better than older brother RttWC. Controls work really well.

WORLD DRIVER CHAMPIONSHIP 87%



Players 1-2 £39.99
Pin sharp graphics. Tough handling, but rewarding.

XENA WARRIOR PRINCESS 89%



Players 1-4 £39.99
You'll die for this! One of the N64's best scrappers.

XG 2 82%



Players 1-4 £49.99
Future bike racer only slightly better than original.

YOSHI'S STORY 88%



Players 1 £39.99
Six dino buddies team up to tackle big ol' Baby Bowser.

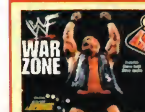
WWF ATTITUDE 91%



● **£49.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Bigger sequel to huge game. Punch, kick, slap, Tombstone, Pimp Drop.
How it plays Pin, pummel and tie. Usual WWF style, only loads more moves and holds.
What we think The best wrestle fest just got better. And create a wrestler's a hoot!

WWF WARZONE 90%



● **£49.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Giant grapplin' madness. Pummel yer mates 'til they squeal.
How it plays Loads of fight options. Take the challenge. Or just one on one in the cage.
What we think Lightning fast action and excellent combos. Looks great, too.

WWF WRESTLEMANIA 2000 91%



● **£44.99**
● **Players 1-4**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about? WWF superstars fighting with fists, guitars and trash cans.
How it plays Quick 'n' fast with stacks of moves. Loaded with excellent fight options.
What we think This game's right up there with the excellent WWF Attitude.

ZELDA 97%



● **£49.99**
● **Players 1**
● **Exp Pak** ✓
● **Memory Pak** ✓
● **Rumble Pak** ✓

What's it about Play as lil' Link in his quest to save Princess Zelda from Ganondorf.
How it plays Biggest game on Planet Nintendo. Battle controls are perfect.
What we think Look at the score! It is without a doubt the best game in the world!

Also out there...



Aerofighters Assault
54% £49.99
The dulllest, slowest fight sim around.



Airboarder 64
57% £49.99
Pointless racer where you fly around on hover boards. Avoid!



Bio Freaks
70% £49.99
Fun little beat 'em up where you can hack arms 'n' legs off! Gross.



Chameleon Twist
59% £49.99
Easy platform quest starring lil' lizard.



Chopper Attack
79% £49.99
Helicopter blaster. Fun in its day, but looks dated now.



Clayfighter 63
25% £49.99
By far the worst game ever released on the Nintendo 64!



Dual Heroes
39% £44.99
Futuristic fighter. Looks and sounds cool, but plays pants.



FIFA 64
40% £29.99
Not a patch on any of the other Nintendo 64 FIFA games.



Mace, Dark Age
68% £54.99
Not a bad fighting game, but Super Smash Bros. is better.



Mortal Kombat Trilogy
51% £49.99
Total rubbish. Go for MK4 instead. It's cool.



Nagano Winter Olympics 98
75% £49.99
Poor winter sports sim, much too hard.



NASCAR 99
62% £49.99
Boring races around circular tracks. The dentist is more fun.



NBA Hang Time
75% £49.99
Another game that was good at the time, but looks crap now.



War Gods
63% £49.99
Lame fighting game with some of the worst warriors ever.



Wayne Gretzky 3D Hockey
81% £49.99
Fun ice hockey sim. Grab it if it's cheap.

NINTENDO 64 Official tips

✓ We promise that every tip and cheat has been tested by our expert Nintendo team. They will only tell you tips and cheats that they know will work and that's guaranteed!

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Jet Force Gemini

Extra, extras! Read all about 'em!

Getting cool cheats in Jet Force Gemini is all about finding locations and grabbing enemy heads as they are destroyed.

For extra multiplayer stages, touch the Totems in the one player levels.

Jet Force cheats

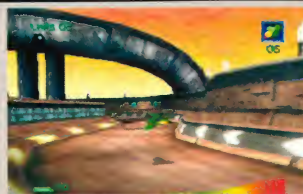


▲ Rainbow Blood Cheat Collect 100 enemy heads. Jet Force Kids Collect 200 enemy heads. Turn ants into pants Collect 300 enemy heads. Get grabbin'!

Extra multiplayer stages



▲ Tunnels Rith Essa Waterfalls. Rith Essa Mine Walkway Station. Space Station Space Station Basement.



▲ King Of The Hill Cerulean Holding. Goldwood Target Range You've gotta come first in Goldwood Floyd mission. Mizar 3D Racer Come first in race.

Ready 2 Rumble

FIRST EVER TIP! Make crazy cartoon boxers

If you don't want the realism of Knockout Kings 2000, check out the furiously funny boxing bonanza that is Ready 2 Rumble. It's a blast!

The gameplay is faster and the boxers' moves will have you in stitches!

Secret fighters



▲ In Championship mode, enter codes as gym name. Exit and select Arcade. Characters earned in mode are now yours.



▲ Bronze class boxers BRONZE. Silver Class SILVER. Gold Class boxers GOLD. Championship Class boxers CHAMP.

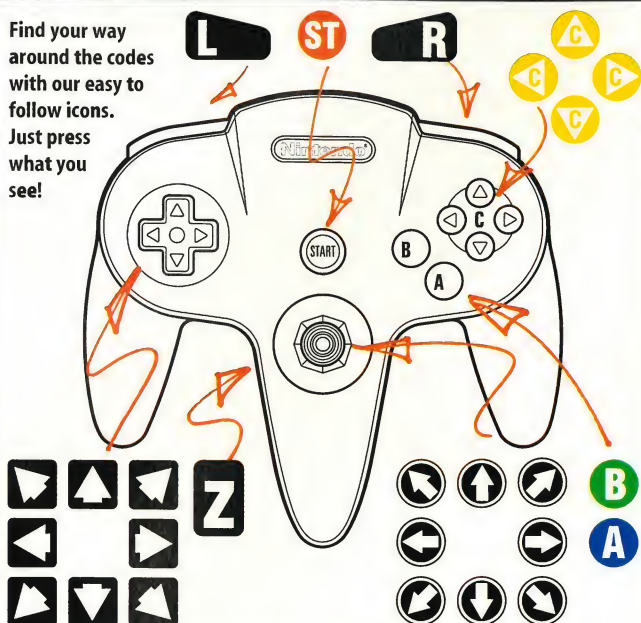
Extra Rumble Flurry



▲ When RUMBLE appears, press A and B. If you then hit V and 3 you'll launch a Rumble Flurry. Keep tapping 'em and it'll last longer, 'til the other boxer's totally beaten!

Controller Icons

Find your way around the codes with our easy to follow icons. Just press what you see!



Roadsters

FIRST EVER TIP! Car chase codes

Roadsters is a fantastic looking, super fast rubber burner. Betcha can't wait to see all the extras. Grab a mirror and now you can!

Roadsters is our favourite racer, here in the NOM offices. And is it any wonder, considering it's one of the best driving games on the N64? But it's so difficult to win that trophy!

Here's the easy way to get at some cool extras. Enter any of the following codes as the driver's name in the driver selection page to open the cheat. Turn cheats off by entering CheatsOff.

Trophy extras



▲ Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race.



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Silly stuff



▲ Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race.



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WCW Mayhem

FIRST EVER TIP! Poundin' codes

Serious body slamming action doesn't come much easier than this. Get to play as wrestling greats just by entering a key code. Cool!

Here's a wicked way to get all the wrestlers and unlock some wicked fight modes for this furious slam fest. And unlike in WWF Attitude, you won't have to work too hard to get any of 'em!

In this game, it only takes a minimum of effort. All you have to do is enter these codes as a Pay Per View password. What could be simpler?

Cheat codes



▲ Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race. Enter 00000000 to start a trophy race.



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Super Smash Bros

FIRST EVER TIP! It's super smashing great

This absolutely awesome fighting game has been out in Japan and America for ages before we got our mitts on it.

Oh well, it's here at last and isn't it great? You can choose your favourite Nintendo character and use their special skills to fight your way to glory. Here's a bit of info on all the secret characters you can get.

Change outfits



▲ At Character Select screen, press and hold one of the C-Buttons while hitting A. You can even get Pikachu with a hat.

Captain Falcon



▲ To play as this cool F-Zero X pilot, beat the game on any difficulty setting in under twenty minutes.

Luigi



▲ Get Mario's brother as a playable character by passing Bonus Practice 1 with the eight main characters.

Jigglypuff



▲ Play as the cute Jigglypuff by beating the game. When challenged by Jigglypuff, beat it and it's yours.

Official Nintendo Top 5 Tips

Good climbing, Nintendoids. You've just reached the top of the tips mountain. Look around and enjoy the view!

Okay, now look down and make sure you take a peek at these little beauties. Bet you're pleased you bought this mag!

Bass Hunter



All lakes ALDLAKES.
Unbreakable line SUPERSTRING.
Big head mode HEADADBIGA.
Easily catchable fish SUPERLURE.

Mario Golf

Win easily

If the computer player is gonna win the whole, go to Save And Quit. Now choose Continue and you'll start the hole you were on again. Don't think of it as cheating, though!

Gauntlet Legends

Weapon upgrade

When you upgrade your character to Level 10 you'll find that your weapons will grow in size and do loads more damage. This also happens at levels 75 and 99.

Hybrid Heaven

Play as Alien

First, you've got to beat the game on Ultimate difficulty. Now, on the Title Screen hit **L**, **R**, **L**, **R**, **Z**. To play as the President, hit **L**, **R**, **L**, **R**, **ST**. Simple!

Donkey Kong 64



Banana Fairies

In Adventure mode, take pictures of two Fairies to see Donkey Kong Rap. Six Fairies will give you new mini games. Ten give you a Boss Battle mode and get 20 for a Cheat mode.

BOGUS BONUS

Swinging swindle

Know the level Jungle Japes in DK64? Rumour has it that if you change to Chunky then kill two enemies in less than 30 seconds Tarzan will appear on a tree and say 'well done!' Er, not really, we're afraid!



Rugrats

Get yer own back on naughty Angelica



We're big fans of Chucky, Tommy, Angelica and the Rugrats crew, here at NOM. So we're well pleased about this cheat. Yay!

Quite an easy game 'cos it's aimed at younger Nintendoids.

Just when you thought you'd finished it, along comes a code to give you a new secret level. Angelica won't know what hit her!

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Secret level



Shadow Man

Get another movie at the end of the game

Thought the ending to Shadow Man was awesome?

Well, here's how to get an even longer, better finishing sequence.

Good ending



▲ Here's how to do it. In Shadow Man's final battle, you should either die, or go near chair and get the normal ending.



▲ Stay on the platform and keep shooting with charged up Shadowgun shots to get different end of game film.

Mirror Mania

Tracks seem really different when you play mirror versions. Here are some ways to get mirror tracks in your favourite racing games.

Star Wars Racer

Empty game file. Hold **Z** and hit **L** to enter name as RRTHEBEAST. Enter name the usual way. When in game, pause and hit **□**, **△**, **○**, **△**.



▲ Diddy Kong Racing

Beat Wizpig for the final time and finish Adventure 1. You'll get Adventure 2. It's the same except all tracks are mirrored.

Re Volt

Unlock mirror courses by beating Time Trial Challenges on all reverse tracks in each circuit.

Hot Wheels

FIRST EVER TIP! Burn rubber



Put your foot to the floor! Now you can get racing with the ultimate Hot Wheels car as soon as you like. Isn't cheating great?

Racing games, although not always great to buy, are always a good laugh for a rent. They're usually pretty easy to pick up and play. Try out these great cheats to get way ahead of the competition!

Tow Jam Car



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0000-0000 0000-0000

Unlimited Turbo



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Flying Dragon
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Fox Sports College Hoops 99
F-Zero X
G-K
Gauntlet Legends
Gex
Glover
Gaemans Great Adventure
Golden Eye
Golden Nugget 64
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J-League 11 Beat 97
Ken Griffey Jrs. Slugfest
Killer Instinct Gold
Knife Edge: Nose Gunner
Knockout Kings 2000
L-P
Lega Racers
Lode Runner 3D
Lylat Wars
Mace: The Dark Ages
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Milo's Astro Lanes
Mischievous Makers
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Monopoly
Mortal Kombat: Sub Zero
Mortal Kombat: Trilogy
Mortal Kombat 4
Multi-Racing Championship
Mystical Ninja 2
Mystical Ninja: Starring
Goemon
Nagano Olympic Hockey
Nagano Winter Olympics '98</p> | <p>Nascar Racing '99
NBA Courtside
NBA Hangtime
NBA Jam '99
NBA Live '99
NBA Zone '98
New Tetris
NFL Blitz
NFL Quarterback '98
NFL Quarterback Club 99
NHL 99
NHL Breakaway
NHL Breakaway 99
Nightmare Creatures
Off-Road Challenge
Olympic Hockey Nagano '98
Penny Racers
Perfect Striker
Pilot Wings
Poke Snap
Pokemon Stadium
Powerful World Soccer 3
Pro Baseball King
Puya Puya Sun 64
Q-U
Quake 2
Quake 64
Quest 64
Rainbow Six
Rakuga Kids
Rampage Universal Tour
Rampage World Tour
Ready 2 Rumble Boxing
Revolt
Robotron 64
Rugrats: Scavenger
Hunt Rush 2 Extreme
Racing USA
S.C.A.R.S.4
San Francisco Rush
Shadowgate 64: Trials of
the Four Towers
Shadowman
Shadows of the Empire
SimCity 2000
Snowboard Kids
Snowboard Kids 2
South Park
Space Dynamites
Space Station: Silicon Valley
Star Fox/Lylat Wars
Star Soldier
Star Wars: Racer
Star Wars: Rogue
Squadron
Super Robot Spirits
Super Smash Brothers
Supercross 2000
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Tonic Trouble
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Top Gear Rally
Triple Play 2000</p> | <p>Turak 1
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Twisted Edge Extreme
Snowboarding
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Snowboarding
V-Z
Vigilante 8
Virtual Chess 64
Virtual Pool 64
V-Rally 99 Edition
Waialae Country Club
War Gods
Wave Race
Wayne Gretzky's 3D
Hockey
Wayne Gretzky's 3D
Hockey 98
WCW Mayhem
WCW Nitro
WCW Vs NWO Revenge
WCW Vs NWO World Tour
Wetrix
Winback: Covert
Operations
Wipeout 64
World Cup '98
World Driver
Championship
WWF Attitude
WWF War Zone
WWF Wrestlemania 2000
Yoshi's Story
Zelda: Ocarina of Time</p> |
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Pokémon

Beat the Gym Leaders with the greatest of ease

The Gym Leaders in Pokémon are just like end of level bosses.

Here are the best ways to beat 'em. It's possible to win and not use the stated type of Pokémon, but you'll have a much harder time.

Boss tactics



▲ Brock Use Water/Grass. Misty Use Grass or Electric. Lt Surge Use Rock or Ground. Erika Use Fire or Flying.



▲ Sabrina Use Bug or Ghost. Koga Use Psychic. Blaine Use Water or Ice. Giovanni Use Water, Ice or Grass.

Xena Warrior Princess

FIRST EVER TIP! Sword play cheat

Isn't Xena cool? And the game's just as good! Want to play as the baddest boss in the TV programme? Grab a mirror and he's yours!

We're all amazed with the super fast gameplay and excellent graphics in this fighting game.

It only just missed getting an Awesome Award, so beat 'em up fans know that they'll be very pleased with this cool fighter.

▶ You can now play as Despair. Press the button to see the cheat code.

Play as Despair



Donkey Kong 64

FIRST EVER TIP! The first you'll see anywhere

One way of making DK64 easier is to get Kong powers as soon you can.

Here's a neat way to get those all important powers.

Get powers easily



▲ Cranky's lab is usually far into levels. An easy way to get that level's powers is to enter for first time and leave straight away.



▲ Now just go visit Cranky in DK Island next to Donkey Kong's treehouse. He'll give you powers for that level straight away.

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Get posting! Send stuff in and you could win a cool transparent controller.

**INTERACT**

Armorines

Figure 1 consists of four screenshots from the game 'The Legend of Zelda: Breath of the Wild'. The top-left screenshot shows Link standing in a shallow body of water, looking towards a large, ornate stone structure. The top-right screenshot shows Link standing on a grassy hill, looking towards a large, ornate stone structure. The bottom-left screenshot shows Link standing on a grassy hill, looking towards a large, ornate stone structure. The bottom-right screenshot shows Link standing on a grassy hill, looking towards a large, ornate stone structure.

Knockout Kings 2000

TIP FROM!
Alan Hanna,
Lisburn

**WARIO, S
WINNER**
James Higgins,
Darlington

Star Wars Racer

TIP FROM!
Donald Straiton,
Hamilton

Loadsa money

SOLARIS ZANTIME
Sega Saturn
PLAYER 1

VEHICLE STATISTICS	
TRANSDUCER	100%
EXHAUST	100%
WHEELS	100%
TOP SPEED	100%
WHEEL BRAKE	100%
BOOSTING	100%
REPAIR	100%

Hot Game Help

Big up yourself, Nintendo nation! If you're stuck, write in to Mr C. There's not a game in the land he can't help you complete.

Jet Force Gemini

I've got Juno and Vela to meet up at the pyramid in Mizar's Palace. I'm now a long way into the Lupus stage, but I'm completely stuck. There are two long legged jumping crickets who kill me before I get a chance to do any real damage to them. Any advice?

Duncan Daniels, Chester

■ These bosses are difficult. You can only shoot one section of them for a split second, while dodging the attacks from the other one. Good timing is essential! First off, you need to use your Machine Gun on their arms. Strafe from left to right of the area at all times. Then switch to Rockets. At the second that it rears its tail, shoot fire at it. You can blow their tails with just one shot if you're good.

Now for the spit attacks.

Again, timing's all important! Just before it puts its head back, shoot your Homing Missiles. You can only blast at the head for a split second but two direct hits should do it. It is hard, but if you concentrate and don't get too frustrated, it won't take too long. Go for it, Duncan!



▲ The twin Mantids. Two of the most difficult bosses in Jet Force Gemini.



▲ You used to have to pay good money to play the original Donkey Kong arcade game. It's an ace reward for you in DK64!

Donkey Kong 64

Can anyone help me? I got this game for Christmas and haven't put it down since. It's the best game I've ever played! But half of my time has been spent trying to solve one problem. How on earth do you get to play the original Donkey Kong arcade game? I've found the room with the machine in it, but for the life of me I can't turn it on. What do you do? I'm pulling my hair out.

Jon Silkott, Breconsfield

■ No need to do that, young Jon. Let NOM help you, before you go completely bald! There's a bit more to getting this ace original Donkey Kong game than just turning on the machine. First of all, you must get Donkey's Gorilla Grab power from Cranky. Have you visited him since you entered the level? You've got to make a lever appear in front of the arcade machine. You do this by successfully completing the Donkey Kong Barrel Blast game. On the Storage Room floor, stand on the pad that has Donkey's handsome face on it. When you've finished it, all you have to do is just stand in front of the arcade machine and press **B**. It's easy when you know how!

Rayman 2

I'm playing Rayman 2 and it's just brilliant! But I've been stuck for the last few days and can't seem to get any further. I'm on Level 7, The Cave Of Bad Dreams and I've reached Guardian, the level boss. My main problem is racing him. It's really hard! I won once and then I had to battle him but I died straight away. Now I can't even win the race. Any tips that'll help me get past this? I'm driving my mum mad and she would've written this letter if I didn't!

Craig Boyle, Birmingham

■ OK, Craig. For a start, you have to avoid the green crystals, which are hard to see because they're the same colour as the ground. Just jump over them and push **O** to go faster. And don't hit the walls while jumping as you'll lose the race if you do it just once. Fighting the Guardian himself is all about hitting the skulls he throws at you and making bridges to other platforms. When you make a bridge to the Treasure Room, boss beaten!

New Wayz To Play!

Got an old game that's just collecting dust on the shelf? Take it down and play it again thanks to NOM readers!

Goldeneye assassins



▲ Four players, Stack. One of you chooses Oddjob (-4 health), another Jaws (+1 health). Other two choose Russian soldiers, normal health.



▲ Oddjob must stay on the upper part of the level at all times. The Siberians must hunt him down and Jaws must protect him at all costs.

TIP FROM!
Andrew Runham,
Portsmouth

Goldeneye Bullet Tag



▲ Four players, any location. Licensed To Kill, any weapons. Player 1 must kill player 2, player 2 kills player 3, player 3 kills 4 and 4 kills 1. Have you got that?



▲ Kill the character you're supposed to and gain a point. Kill the wrong one and lose two points. First to five wins. Is that an ace new way to play, or what?

TIP FROM!
Peter Taylor,
Andover

Write in!

Hands up who wants to win some top Nintendo gear?

It's easy! Just drop us a line with your top tip, quessie answer or new way to play and you could get yer sticky mitts on ace N64 stuff. Cool. All you've gotta do is write to us at,

Your Tips, NOM, Angel House, 338-346 Goswell Road, London EC1V 7QP.

Can You Help?

There are unexplained mysteries in the world of Nintendo that only a few can answer. The truth is out there! Help out and win a prize.



Goldeneye

Can anyone out there help me? How do I get Invisibility in the Goldeneye Archives?

George Donnell, Blackburn

■ It's not just a case of running through the level, there are special techniques involved. Here's something to get you all started. Press **ST** a few times while talking to Mishkin, and he'll talk faster. Help George out and win a prize.



Legend of Zelda

I've heard tales of a giant's sword that defeats enemies with one swift swipe. But I'm damned by Ganondorf if I can find it! What do I do?

Jenny Gosling, Northampton

■ Okay, Zelda adventurers. First one to send in a fully correct answer concerning the adult Link trading sequence wins a flashy controller as a reward. Get writing!

YOUR SCORES

Only cool chimps will beat our challenges. So don't be a chump, why not enter today? You could win stuff!

This issue's expert challenges

1 Star Wars Racer

Fastest time, Ando Prime Centrum

Send in black track layout screen with best time.



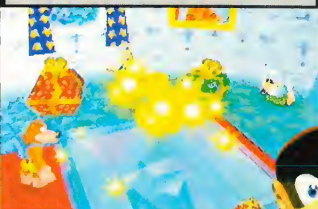
▲ Better find every shortcut!

The wide roads on this easy track mean we're expecting some very fast times from you.

2 Banjo Kazooie

Fastest time, all Jiggies, Freezeezy Peak

We want to see the results screen with the time taken.



▲ Nab those Jiggies and win!

Some great times are rolling in now. Beat 12 minutes to be sure of being in with a chance.

3 Mario Golf

Speed Golf, fastest time

On any course. Show us the stats screen from inside the Clubhouse to enter.



▲ Practice makes perfect, Yoshi!

Getting a good rhythm going and knowing exactly where to hit will cut yer time by loads.

4 Goldeneye

Statue Park. Defeat 30 enemies, fastest time.

Show us your stats screen at the end of the level to qualify.



▲ Know where all the guards are.

Statue Park is quite a confusing level. Most of yer time will be spent finding the guards.

The results in full

Beetle Adventure Racing

Metro Madness, fastest time

This challenge takes place on the best track of an ace game. Get powersliding!

1. Martin Van Duuren, Holland 5:43.46

2. Ross Anderson, Peterborough	5:49.03
3. Jason R Light, Chandlers Ford	6:03.14
4. Jan-Erik Spanberg, Sweden	6:12.53
5. Andrew Stanger, Huntingdon	6:25.48
6. David Kemp, Guildford	6:42.73
7. James Loveless, Tadworth	6:43.79
8. Trevor Reynolds, SE London	6:56.80
9. Greg McSwain, Glasgow	6:56.95
10. Robert Moore, Welwyn Garden City	7:02.57



First Martin



Sixth David

Star Wars Racer

Fastest time, Baroo Coast track

Chris Webb tops two leagues this issue. Wow! How does he do it?

1. Chris Webb, Abbeydale 2:12.428

2. Jonathan Wright, Coulsden	3:36.592
3. Jan-Erik Spanberg, Sweden	4:25.940
4. David Munro, Aberdeen	4:33.454
5. Paul Halligan, Co Limerick	4:40.699
6. Sang Moon Lee, N Harrow	4:45.383
7. Michael Steward, Hull	4:48.777
8. Mark Dunster, SE London	4:52.544
9. Dale Behan, Bilton	4:58.456
10. Wouter Witteveen, The Netherlands	5:06.561

Mario Golf

Speed Golf, any course, fastest time

You've been having great fun doing this challenge. Well done to Chris!

1. Chris Webb, Abbeydale 10:57.54

2. Jan-Erik Spanberg, Sweden	11:02.36
3. Stephen Dury, Bishop Sutton	12:17.04
4. Richard Clark, Halesworth	12:19.12
5. Steven Patterson, Wymondham	12:26.53
6. Alan Brunsfield, Aberdeen	12:29.67
7. Gareth Winsome, Swansea	12:34.86
8. James O'Brien, Leicester	12:36.34
9. Jonathan Alexander, Tunbridge Wells	12:46.67
10. Chris Smith, Bolton	13:02.65

Banjo Kazooie

Fastest time, all Jiggies, Treasure Trove Cove

Loads people have entered this challenge. Now try the new one, above!

1. Jan-Erik Spanberg, Sweden 07:55

2. Jamie Robertson, Mitcham	08:04
3. Matthew Collins, Hayes	09:57
4. Iqraam Moghal, Leeds	10:56
5. Jack Humphreys, Halifax	11:32
6. Will Manning, Tollesbury	11:47
7. Greg Galvin, Co Cork	11:50
8. Kimlee Miller, Leeds	12:40
9. Gary Annells, Kuwait	14:42
10. Richard Reading, Chester	15:51



No cheating!

All of these challenges are set so that true gamers win through. But we keep getting entries from cheaters.

These include American and Japanese racing game entries. You can't use any cheats to help you get good scores unless we tell you to, and no invincibility cheats should be used 'less we say so.

Dirty cheaters MAY get away with it, but do ya wanna risk wasting your time and being disqualified? We thought not. Big Donkey's watching YOU!

What to do

You can enter any challenge you see on this page, including the league tables.

So, if you fancy your chances at gaming fame and fortune, here's what you do...

1 Pick yer challenge, slam on yer N64 and get yer high score. 2 Take a pic of the TV screen with no flash. Taking it at an angle with the curtains drawn'll help. Or videotape your entry. 3 Write your name, address and score both on the photo/videotape and on a separate piece of paper. 4 Tell us how you scored your best time. We may well print your top tip. 5 Also, pop in a recent pic of yourself looking daft. 6 Now post it to ...

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Mega Challenge!



▲ We found the best FIFA footballers in the UK and got 'em to play against each other. Who came out singing? Turn the page to find out...

The results

For months we've been challenging Nintendoids to prove they're the best FIFA player in the land. Loads of you sent in your results, and the top four were invited to NOM Towers to fight it out.

The atmosphere was electric as the finalists met up and got ready for the most important contest of their lives. Games and N64 goodies were up for grabs, and they all knew their performance was going to be splashed all over NOM. So it was nerves all round!

Who had the silkiest skills? Who won? Was it the N64 version of the World Cup? Turn the page for a full on, no holds barred report. They're still singing on the terraces.

WHO WON?

Turn over to find out

The Challenge

A sunny Saturday morning in early December saw NOM Towers being prepared for the latest and greatest Mega Challenge.

Three of the awesome foursome arrived early to see some of the latest games before it was time to prove themselves in the big footy face off.

Our elite finalists came from all four corners of, well, the south east, and they're the best FIFA players in the country. Latecomer Gareth was made fun of at first for supporting Cambridge. Would he wipe the smiles off their faces?

Getting to know you

Our contestants bonded instantly, as they launched themselves into heated discussions about all things Nintendo.

They soon became mates, as they chatted about whether or not to get Armories, chuckled over South Park, and debated whether Perfect Dark multiplayer would be all it's cracked up to be. Hard to imagine that soon they'd be locked in rivalry, as they went head to head to prove who was the best footy player in the land.

► Here's the line up before they started shooting for glory. Will they all be this happy in a couple of hours?



The contenders



Andrew Upton

Lives in Southall, Middlesex
Favourite team Liverpool
Quote of the day
You're not singing anymore!



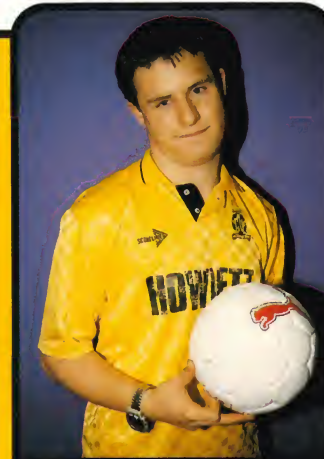
Daniel Callis

Lives in Lakenheath, Suffolk
Favourite team Ipswich
Quote of the day
Quick! Press Start! The horror!



Matthew Collins

Lives in Hayes, Middlesex
Favourite team Liverpool
Quote of the day
I'm finally in the lead!



Gareth Bragg

Lives in Royston, Herts
Favourite team Cambridge
Quote of the day
What? West Ham? Oh no!

The final challenge

First off, Andrew took on Gareth. It took Andrew a little while to warm up, but by the final whistle the score was 2-2.

Daniel, ever the loudest, beat Matthew 4-2. It wasn't his day, 'cos Matthew then lost 4-0 to Gareth. Daniel used a corner trick that he'd got from NOM, but only managed to draw 2-2 against Andrew. Sadly, in an even match, Matthew lost his final game to Andrew 2-1. Arch rivals Gareth and Daniel played a game which turned out to be the decider. They drew 1-1.



League Table

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Gareth	3	1	0	2	8	4	5
Daniel	3	1	0	2	7	5	5
Andrew	3	1	0	2	7	6	5
Matthew	3	0	3	0	3	1	0



▲ Gareth scores what turned out to be the most important goal in the contest, as his tally rises higher than Daniel's. He was over the moon!
◀ Daniel jumps for joy as he slaughters Matthew. He was a worthy opponent, but unfortunately goal difference got the better of him!

The prizes



Gareth won, but it was a very close contest that came down to goal difference. No one left NOM Towers empty handed, though.

Everyone was given a steering wheel, controller and NOM T-shirt for their troubles, while the quietly jubilant Gareth got to choose three games for himself, Donkey Kong 64, Resident Evil 2 and Super Smash Bros. Then, off they all went! A great day all round.

The rules

The FIFA Mega Challenge wasn't going to be a knockout competition. And our contenders could only play as West Ham.

They all had to play each other once, and a league table was drawn up at the end of the six games. Oh, the suspense!



▲ West Ham or Brazil, knockout or league tables. It doesn't matter, says Gareth. Just bring it on!



▲ No one was on top of the world about having to play as West Ham. But those were the rules!

◀ The lads celebrate winning loadsa Nintendo goodies, not to mention a great day out at NOM!

► It was a hard slog, but he made it! Young Gareth holds his prizes and celebrates for the camera. He was one happy dude!



Mega Challenge!

The latest prizetastic Mega Challenge has been set by Rare, the makers of Goldeneye, Jet Force Gemini and DK64. Got a copy of Donkey Kong? Then read on!

Rare animals

Who better than the people who made Donkey Kong to set our monkey Mega Challenge? Thanks to them, this is our best challenge yet. You'll really wanna win this one!



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▲ Get good with Rambi for prizes and surprises.

The Rare Mega Challenge

"Simply score as many points as you can in Rambi's Arena by ramming Gnawties before the timer runs out. Take a photo or video of the scoreboard."

How to get Rambi's Arena

In Adventure mode, play as Rambi in Jungle Japes. After meeting the Banana Fairy and getting the Camera, take pictures of six different Fairies. Rambi's Arena will now be in the Mystery option, under DK Bonus Games.



The Mega Final

The final will feature the top four people who took part in this cool Rare challenge. In the event of a draw, we'll be picking names from a hat.

All four winners will be invited to a grand final at NOM Towers where there'll be an epic multiplayer fight in the DK64 Battle Arena. Get Gnawty Ramming!

You may be good at Rambi's Arena, but the grand final will take place in the DK64 Battle Arena. Practice that too!

It's really really important to include a phone number on yer entry, as well as leaving Saturday 26 February free.

Closin' date and rules type stuff

- 1) The closing date for Rare Mega Challenge entries is Tuesday 22 February 2000.
- 2) The grand Mega Challenge final will take place on Saturday 26 February.
- 3) For the final contest itself, we make the rules! The Kongs you play with will be drawn from a hat, as will the Battle Arenas. The game set ups will also be decided by NOM.
- 4) Finalists who cannot make the stated final date will be disqualified and their place in the final will be given to the fifth place finalist.
- 5) The decision of the magazine is always final.



Jet Force Gemini

It's time to rescue all the lil' Tribals, find the spaceship parts and battle the evil Mizar



Gemini

Galactic guide Part 2



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Complete the game

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- ✓ Every Tribal rescued
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- ✓ Smash enemies
- ✓ Beat the evil Mizar

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WE SAID "You ain't gonna believe this. Make no mistake, this is pure Rare magic."

Goldwood

Outset

Does this place look familiar? You've been here before, as Juno. It's the peaceful home of the Tribals and their leader, King Jeff.



▲ Go to lake to fetch Fish Food. Totem in lake. High platform with Yellow Key door in hut area. Shurikens inside.



▲ One Tribal under first Sniper. Two in first village. Open Life Force doors. Through wooden one to large area and four Tribals.



▲ Thru door where Juno gets Red Key. Carry out challenge to unlock multiplayer target range. Blast huts for extras.

Lodge

Use Vela's ace swimming skills to reach areas you couldn't get to before. Don't forget to take a deep breath before you duck under the water!



▲ Bridge over river. Dive under the water, into cave. Find the passage. Go through door to your left for four Tribals. On to Life Force door, ignore. Into next one.



▲ Into an area with wooden planks, through to an area with purple sky. Three Tribals are in here. Now go through the Life Force door you previously ignored.



▲ Two Life Force doors are in here. Take the one at the end of the leafy trail. Open another Life Force door. Spaceship part and two Tribals are inside. So grab 'em, quick!



▲ Go back through other Life Force door. Find a village where it's raining. Last six Tribals are here. Go through the next door to get to ship. Takes you to Space Station.

Rim

Don't forget to find and touch the Totem in this area, 'cos it'll unlock the fantastic Space Station level in the blinding Multiplayer mode.

And you wouldn't want to miss out on that, would you?



▲ Float to the door in Goldwood interior as Lupus. After first Life Force door, stay on left wall. Follow path down to two Tribals.



▲ In next area, Drones falling from above. Through tunnel, left side has Tribal behind rocks. To water area, up to highest point.



▲ See ledge with Tribal. Glide to it. Life Force door on ledge, two Tribals inside. Shocker weapon in corner of water area.



▲ To last room, through exit. Tribal on ledge. To next exit, right at fork. Oil tanks room, Tribal here. Exit and head underground.



▲ Left at fork, down. Tribal near Black Drone. To large area with Cyborg Stag, Tribal at top of stairs. Through door to ship.

Interior

You're nearly there now, gamers.

Pass through a Tribal village, rescue a few of 'em and get outta there!

- ▶ One Tribal before village, one on house. Pass gap, through door. Box area, four Tribals. On, walk over bridge. Three Tribals near Exit.



Space Station

Finish the Goldwood level, and your ship will take you here. It's a desolate satellite, forever orbiting Goldwood. Pretty spooky, huh?



1 Down cracks for Flame Thrower. At fork, down hall with patterned lights. To dead end, Tribal here. Find basement.

Ignore lift. One Tribal in hall, another in dead end room. Up lift, another Tribal. Go down in other lift to first basement.



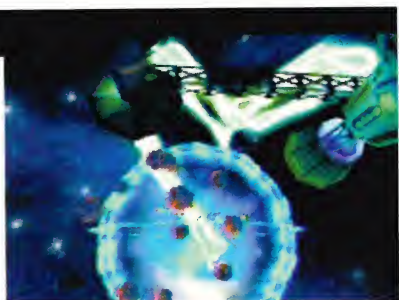
2 Two Tribals. Circular floor, Tribals in chambers. Through hull cracks for four Tribals. Use Jet Pad to get back to ship.

Gem Quarry

If you find and complete the Rim stage, you'll come here.

Better make sure that you grab everything you can!

Five Tribals straight away. Find Magnus in hut. To next area, shoot emeralds into machine. Back to Magnus, get spaceship part.



SS Anubis

Get busy in this space cruiser

There are other spacecraft that the Jet Force Gemini team get to explore, but none are as big as this one. It's huge!

Watch out for the enemies who try to shoot you from above, they're vicious.

Hold

This is extremely difficult! You've got to collect eight circuit boards, and shoot three consoles and the Reactor Hub in less than a minute.

These tips should definitely help you complete your mission!

Follow the passage after the Totem Pole area and you'll find Floyd's mission. Pick up some Ear Plugs. Find the Polar Bear on the Water Ruins, Lost Island wants them.

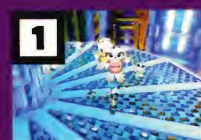


2 Two Tribals are in the first room. Shoot six consoles to free the rest in jail. Look on walls for consoles. Last Tribal can be found in electric platform room.

Passageway

You'll need Jetpacks to reach this stage of the game.

Make sure you use the Jet Pad to go up to the door on the ledge.



1 Stand on Jet Pad in the first room, where you met Magnus, and glide up. Six Tribals are on a platform in the dead end part.



2 Find room with ledges you can glide to and refuel. Find electric tunnel. On right is door with two Tribals inside.

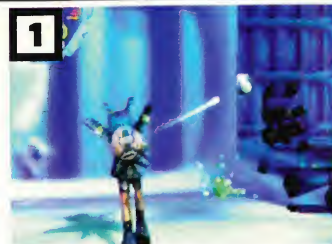


3 In the corridor that's full of water, doors on side take you to Midge. He'll give you a Ship Part which is called the Fin.

Depository

This is an enormous cargo hold, filled with hundreds of boxes.

It's a bit like being in an huge maze and it's easy to get pretty confused, so take care.



1 Chamber with Black Drone and five Tribals. In room with JFG ship are nine Tribals.

Climbing to top of first room in ship, in door with Yellow Key. There are two doors on other side of stacked boxes area.

Walkway, Peak

Finish the Depository level and your ship will take you here. This level comes complete with tall buildings and flooded passages.

Make sure you touch the Totem on this level and you'll get a brand new multiplayer arena to battle in with ver mates. Don't forget, now!



1 Get to this level at end of Depository. Open Rith Essa multiplayer arena by touching Totem at top of building.



2 Use Juno for Tribals. Four on top of building. Crowbar into trapdoor in building. In water corridors, two Tribals.

Bog

You'll play this level in a damp and rainy swamp.

Enemies won't go down with just a Machine Gun here, so use Tri Rockets.



1 Use Juno for Tribals. Thru Life Force door. Two Tribals around trees. Blow open huts in church area for extras and two Tribals.



2 Tribal on ledge behind ruined building. Trapdoor nearby, open with Crowbar, Tribal. Three more inside doors. Last one at end.

Bridge

You'll need to use two characters to get the Totems here.

Lupus 'cos he can glide to the hut and Vela to swim underwater.



▲ Use Juno. Tree huts, four Tribals in trees. In Gimlet area, there's one in Sniper Rifle hut, find hut with metal door. Trapdoor and Flare inside.

▶ As Vela, go to Gimlet's pants area. Swim down, through hole on island where tree is. Find Gimlet, get Cargo Key, a ship part.



▲ Two Totems. On bridges, glide to distant hut. Destroy enemies to open door. In water under bridge, secret hole.



▲ Flare shows two Tribals. In Trapdoor for one. Outside. Down Gimlet's chimney for two. Wooden pillars, blow 'em up. Passage to two.

Tawfret, Castle

Make sure you don't go too mad shooting at the Drones here.

If you hit a Tribal you'll have to start over again.

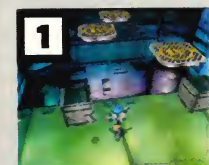
▶ Take coloured route at waterfall. Find one Tribal. Down river, two on dark alcove. Two in boss entrance, one in area with columns.



Spawnship, Troop Carrier

Wanna know how to get the Green Drone multiplayer character?

Touch the Totem inside the pipe which is in the room with the gap.



▲ Use Vela for Tribals. From start, up lift, through door. Into Life Force door. Tribal on left before floating platforms. Now drop down. Easy!



▲ Into water, there's a Tribal in corner. Exit to corridor. Take door opposite, into boxes area. Two Tribals, exit room. Back to watery area.



▲ Through passage leading to chamber with more water. Dive down, through pipe. On to dead end, find Shocker Weapon. Three Tribals.



▲ Now go back to the start. Up lift, through door. Go to walkway below bridge, Tribal above doorway. Find Green door, four Tribals at end.



▲ Go in through locked Yellow door. There are three remaining Tribals in the corner. With Juno, wade through to corridor. Leads to spaceship part.

Rith Essa

Going underground on this mountainous mining planet

Rith Essa used to be home to a thriving mining operation.

But now it's been totally deserted, thanks to the arrival of the Drone army.

Bluff

Don't play as Lupus on this level, 'cos he hasn't got a Blue Key.

▶ Go through the Blue door for four Tribals in tunnels. Come out of the sewers on to a high cliff for two Tribals. Drop down.



▶ Continue to three Goliath Beetles, two Tribals behind. Use Vela to swim under waterfalls after Bluff stage to find Totem.



Ascent

You'll find a Blue Key door in the Bluff level. Go through for Ascent.



▲ Get the two Tribals before first Life Force door. Go in this door, down shaft to rusty door. Jetpack across gap.



▲ Continue to three Goliath Beetles, two Tribals behind. Use Vela to swim under waterfalls after Bluff stage to find Totem.

Mine

You must have completed the Thorax level for the Specialist Magazine.

Give it to Fishface and you'll get the Mine Key in return.



▲ In water area after Bluff stage is a wooden door leading to a small hut area. Here's Fishface! Give him Specialist Mag.



▲ Get Mine Key. Cluster Bombs outside mine. Inside, four Tribals in first chamber. Down passage to room with two Tribals.



▲ Shoot crates for switch. Up elevator. Tribal by pillar. From here to small river are seven Tribals. You should now have 14 out of 16.



▶ Follow the river to a caged elevator shaft. Inside, shoot switch and go down. Charge Jetpack, up shaft, find door with two Tribals and Totem.

▶ Inside Mine is pad that turns you into a Tribal. Do so and talk to Fishface. Now you can get the Deflector Shield spaceship part. Go on, grab it!

Interior

**Nearly outta there!
Not long to go now.**

This is quite an easy level, just don't go shooting any Tribals in the middle of battle.

► First three Tribals near the start. Last near the very end. Careful not to blow it up while battling Drones.



Eschebone

Volcanic poisoned planet

This planet is filled with boiling acid lakes and toxic fumes.

There are also giant worms slithering across its surface. Nasty!

Approach

In the second area you'll be confronted by loads of Airbornes.

Make sure you don't shoot 'em! They'll fall on the ickle Tribals!

► Find two Tribals after the ship. Then you'll get another two on magma islands. Final two are in an area with alien worm. Look out for an island in the lava.



Thorax

Use Vela in this level, 'cos you'll have to swim through a lot of it.



◀ There are four pillars, with two Tribals on them. Go through white slits on right, blow up the steel door. Rocket into holes for the Tribals.



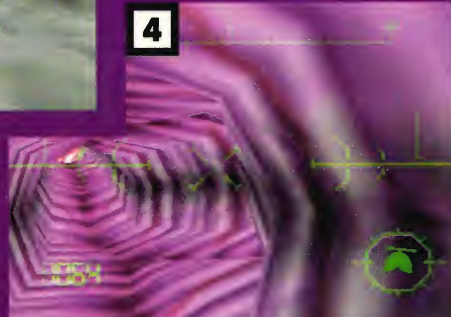
► Go to area with lake. Swim through cave. Six Tribals, Blue Key. To main path, find Magenta Key. Two Tribals nearby.



◀ Blue Key underwater here. You'll also find a chest with Specialist Magazine. Take to Fishface on Rith Essa for Mine Key.



► Small chamber with Floyd Pad in Magenta Key room. Jet up to it. Complete it to get Rith Essa Target Range in multiplayer.



Cortex

Find five Tribals and the Oxygen Tank ship part in this area.



▲ In first room, exit beast by holes in side. Find wooden door, blast open. Now Boost to top of worm's body, up backbone to brain.



▲ Search the halls. Find all five Tribals. Get to the last room, where you'll find that the brain is above ground. To top of chamber. On a ledge, you'll find a spaceship part.

Sekhmet, Battle Cruiser

You'll need to play as Juno on this level, to make use of his skills.

He's got to walk through some molten lava to get to those Tribals.



▲ Go get the four Tribals you'll find in the first room. Then go through the non Green Key door. Follow tube to Red Key door. Go in.



▲ Boost up, through hallway, pass river and land. Circular passageway here goes right round the level. You'll get two more Tribals.



▲ Circle, back where you entered, kill then on through Red Key and Life Force door. On to lava and pipe. Blue Key. Two Tribals up ramp.



▲ Main path. Moving platforms. Use Boost. Two Tribals on platform. One more in next section, and one in final obstacle room.



▲ In area with Green Key, shoot glass above. Fly up to shaft. Keep going up and you will find three more Tribals for your collection.



▲ In lava area, down, through sewers, open pipe in biggest room. Two Totems, one at top of spiral walkway, one near Magenta Key.

Water Ruins, Lost Island

It's a bit tricky to get here. Go through a Red Key door in Sekhmet stage.

Then boost over the river and look for a secret circular passage in the wall.



▲ Get here by finding JFG ship off circular passage in Sekhmet stage. Use Lupus. First Tribal is behind yer ship. Two more on water.



▲ Another is near a pillar by the castle. Last four are high up on the castle, use Jetpack. Timed Mines in debris near castle.



▲ Find Polar Bear. He wants Ear Plugs, they're in the Hold on Anubis. Get Gold in Floyd mission. Use Vela for ship part under castle water.

Cerulean, Dune

Six Tribals are in the first room.

And another two are at the end of this stage. Happy hunting!

► Use any character. First six Tribals and Totem in underground caverns' first room. Two more behind pillars near ship at end.



Ichor

It's a short but fast 'n' furious level

Ichor is Mizar's biggest and baddest military base, so this is well hard. It's absolutely teeming with Drones and other insectoid menaces.

Military Base

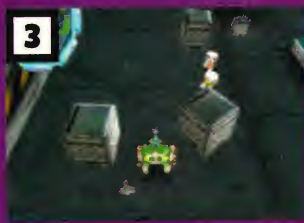
Find the Floyd Mission and you'll have to collect 45 oil canisters before the time runs out. Remember, practice makes perfect.



▲ Go to first indoor room. There's glass on wall. Use Lupus, to highest crates and ledge. Shoot glass. Passage to Cluster Bombs for Floyd Mission.



▲ Four Tribals in second indoor room. Two behind barrels, two in small alcove. There are three in next room. Two in corners, one above door.



▲ Note Jetpack Pad here. Up to pipe, leads to ship part. Also, to doorway above, use Juno or Lupus to find Totem.



▲ Two Tribals in room with yellow and black extending bars. Three in coloured switch room. Final four in next room.

► Inside the second cabinet, you'll find Arcade Chip in Ichor, Military Base area, and turn it on. Same as Jeff and Barry Racing, but more complicated.



◀ Complete the race in under thirty seconds in first race, and under forty seconds in second race. This'll open up some new multiplayer stages.

Mizar's Palace

You're nearly there

This level takes place in a temple that's straight outta ancient Egypt.

Flume

To get through the maze, take left at first junction, left at second, follow path at third, right then straight.

► Use Vela. Out of underwater maze. Four Tribals in corner. Two more in next area, up on a ledge.



Chasm

Now, all of the crack Jet Force Gemini troops have Jetpack capability. But you'll have to use Lupus here because he doesn't need to refuel.



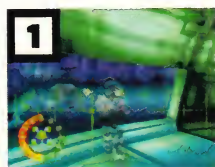
▲ Two Tribals behind you, straight away. Through big door, into night vision maze. Mark where you've been by shooting boxes.



▲ Find small chambers and search area to find four Tribals. Exit maze. Tribal on column behind you. There are three more near the waterfall.

Perimeter

You'll find this area in the Military Base. Look out for pairs of Drones on blue towers, 'cos it's around here you'll find the Blue Key door.



▲ Inside the Blue Key door then on to second area. Kill enemies through slits, into Life Force doors.

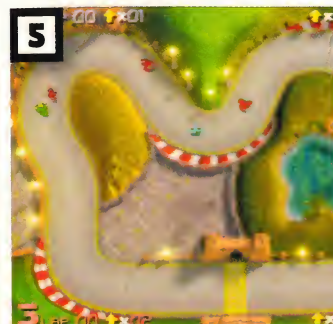


▲ Room with zig zag pathway. Tribal in hole in wall, another behind platform on far side.



▲ Turn around, back to zig zag path room. Three more Tribals. One in a corner, two on high platforms.

► Kill Drones on gun turrets with Sniper Rifle. Thru door, into desert. Turn to Drone on pad, find Big Bug Club. Two Tribals.



◀ Inside Big Bug Club you'll find a side door that leads to arcades. There are two cabinets, one has Jeff and Barry Racing. Complete the simple car race.

Lobby

Juno will be needed here for his lava walking abilities.

You'll be happy to hear that you're about to battle Mizar himself!



▲ Use Juno. Two tunnels behind map, five Tribals inside. Back to map room, drop down hole. Right at first fork to two rooms, five Tribals.



▲ Back to the start of the maze, then left. Next to lava room entrance is door to a dead end and two Tribals. There's a Totem in small tunnel off lava room.

Meeting Place Arena

You'll need to do a bit of futuristic racing to get the next ship part. Then, speak to King Jeff and yer off to the final battle.



▲ Exit the Lobby area. Along the wall on the left hand side of pyramid interior is secret corridor. Enter. Boost to top of pillar, turn to Drone.



▲ Go through the next door you come to, up elevator. On car, through tunnels. You'll need to come first in Mizar's Race to get the Fuse ship part.



▲ Find large meeting point pyramid to meet King Jeff. If you've collected all the Tribals, talk to him to get last ship part. If not, go back.

Asteroid

Hurry up, lil' gamers! The big boss is waiting

Mizar is probably the best boss you've ever seen!

But he's tough to beat and you'll die many times before defeating him.

Mizar's Lair

A vast, freezing network of underground tunnels. Icicles grow down from the ceiling, and a thick, white fog hangs on the air.



▲ After getting all the ship parts, King Jeff's craft will fly to asteroid but will break down. As Juno, it's time to go and hunt down evil Mizar.



◀ Run down the halls, blasting as you go. Watch out for enemies encased in ice. Sneak past 'em or blast 'em away.



▲ After more enemy shooting, you'll find a room with a few ammo crates inside. Get ready to meet Mizar!



▲ Don't be too gob smacked at the amazing scenery Mizar smiles at you 'cos he thinks you're about to die. You've gotta wipe that evil smirk off!



▲ Because Mizar can fly, he launches his attacks in different places. Dodging attacks is much more important than shooting Mizar.



▲ The most devastating attack is when he shoots electric shocks out of his fingers. Jump over energy orb when it nears you.



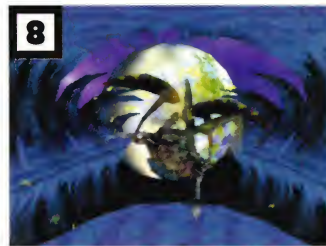
▲ Mizar's weak spot is a coloured box on his back. When you hit it he smashes a claw at you, his chest can be hit for a second now.



▲ Use Missiles or Rockets. Make sure you aim properly, losing ammo means you'll die. Folded legs also deflect shots.



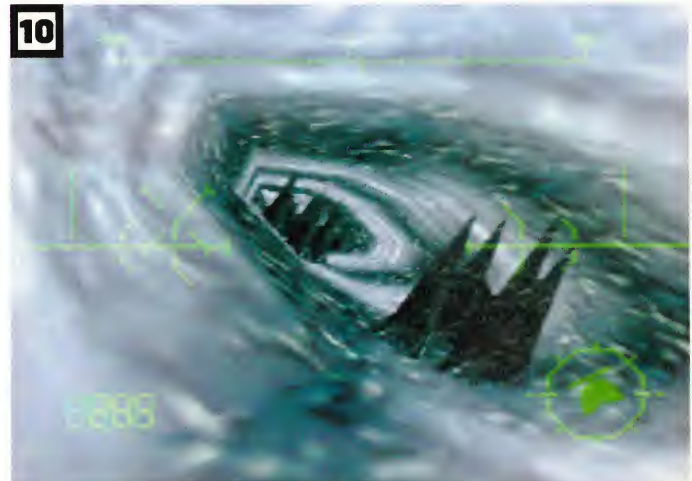
▲ The next phase of Mizar's attack is exactly the same as the last, except that this time, the attacks are more frequent.



▲ Once enough damage is done, Mizar's wings become destroyed and he lands on the ledge that you're on. It gets tricky.



▲ Now he attacks at lightning speed, trying to take the last of your energy. Shoot metal claws, then his nasty head.



▲ After beating Mizar, you still have to stop the Asteroid. Take control of Floyd one last time.

The Final Conflict

You meet Mizar on a rocky ledge, with a huge gap separating you.



▶ When it takes to the air, it's time for the real battle. Learn its random attacks and how to dodge 'em.

◀ Mizar is on the other side of a gap. Rocks get hurled over. Strafe at the last second to avoid 'em. Then keep on shooting Machine Gun.



It's a Secret



Now wasn't that a cool boss battle? Enjoy the ending, 'cos you really deserve it! Tune in next month for the best JFG multiplayer guide around.

Donkey Kong

Banana grabbing guide Part 2

64

You're in the middle of a monster game and there are so many Golden Bananas to bag! Read on to get the rest of the funky fruit.

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Lanky Kong

Two of the next set of Bananas can be grabbed early on in the game, but you'll need Orangstand Sprint and Baboon Balloon to get the others.

▶ As Chunky, lift boulder in Jungle Japes entrance hall. Now use Lanky and play Trombone Tremor on Music Pad.



▲ Get Lanky to shoot the Grape Switch on the side of K. Lumsy's Island. Now open the gate and find the Golden Banana. Go get it!



▲ Entrance hall to Creepy Castle. Chunky remove boulder, Lanky use Baboon Balloon on new pad to float up to top of building.



▲ Into K. Lumsy's Prison. Jump in Tag Barrel. Change to Lanky. Run to switch, hit it and Orangstand Sprint back to get Golden Banana.

DK Island

Let's hit the road with those crazy Kongs

DK's Island, K. Rool's Blast-o-Matic gun and other islands contain 25 Blueprints for the Kongs to grab. Keep yer eyes peeled for 'em.

Blueprints

Look for new entrances which'll allow you to get more Blueprints.



▲ Diddy Knock out Kasplat in Creepy Castle entrance hall for Diddy Blueprint.



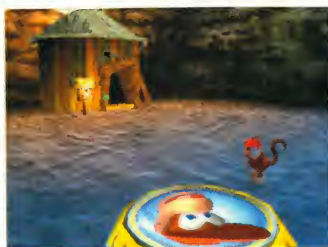
▲ Tiny Frantic Factory entrance hall. As Chunky, Primate Punch wooden crate then, as Tiny, defeat Kasplat for Blueprint. Banana Fairy.

Diddy Kong

Get Bananas when Diddy's opened Fungi Forest and has Jet Barrel power.



▲ Chunky lobbs rocks by Aztec door for Music Pads. Lanky plays trombone. Fungi Forest door, hit switch, Jet Barrel across.



▲ Half way up K. Rool's Island is Snide's HQ for DK Island. Simian Spring on Diddy Pad here to enter a Challenge Barrel.

Chunky Kong

The last Golden Banana is pretty tricky to get.

After Tiny has played her Saxophone Slam, watch out for a new Hunky Chunky Barrel to appear with a big white X on the island.

▶ Chuck rock off Music Pad by Aztec entrance. Play Triangle Trample for Golden Banana.



▲ Shoot Pineapple Switch near waterfall and Bananaport Pad 3 to open gate. Get Golden Banana. Phew, that was a lot easier than expected.



▲ At back of K. Rool Island propellers is Tiny Monkeyport. Get to top with it. Play sax on Music Pad. Chunky uses new Hunky Chunky Barrel, Simian Slam on X island.

Jungle Japes

Last visit here, now you've got new powers

Enjoy this first level. It's easy, but it'll get much harder from now on.

Blueprints

Chunky's Blueprint is in his very own secret area.

Get a Golden Banana here, too.

▶ **Chunky Simian Slam X** where boulder was for hole. Down. Through, shoot statue's eyes. Swing along and defeat Kasplat. Nice work, Kongsters!



Tiny Kong



Every Kong must do a task to get the Golden Bananas behind gates. Using Bananaport Pads in the level is essential to get to them before the all important timer runs out.

◀ Jump on switch in Cranky area. Banana in door on water. Use Bananaport Pad 4.

Lanky Kong

For Lanky to get this Golden 'Nana, DK must open the entrance to a side room off first passage.

He does this using his Coconut Cannon. Blast it, Donkey!

▶ Into room off passage after you enter level, into Challenge Barrel. Destroy Kremlings, make it to the end of maze.



Chunky Kong

Chunky will have to use all his powers, like Hunky Chunky, Primal Punch and Pineapple Launcher to get the Golden Bananas.

If you haven't got 'em, go to new levels, get from Cranky and return.



▲ Get Hunky Chunky and Primal Punch. On left of area, lift rock and chuck it for Golden Banana.



▲ Into the new Tiny area on far left as you enter. As Hunky Chunky, climb trees to get to the Challenge Barrel.



▲ Boulder on right. Lift it to expose a Chunky Switch, Simian Slam it. Gate opens with Golden Banana next to Snide. Use Bananaport Pad 2.



▲ Simian Slam X on floor on left of area for hole. Jump down, go through. Shoot statue's eyes to lower vines. Swing for another Golden Banana.

Angry Aztec

Sand gets in your eyes in this desert level

You're in an ancient desert landscape. Look out for sandstorms!

Blueprints

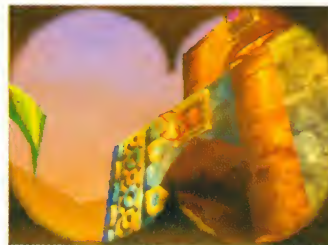
Lanky must use a Bananaport Pad to get this Kasplat, as only Tiny has Mini Monkey power.

▶ Lanky Into Llama Temple, use Warp Tile 2 to get to Kasplat. Chunky In five door temple, shoot Pineapple switch.



Donkey Kong

Donkey can use his first Strong Kong power. This gives him invincibility.



▲ Shoot Coconut Switch on five door building in second area. Enter, shoot the switches and proceed for Golden Banana.



▲ Into Llama Temple. Simian Slam switch to open new door outside and enter. Into Strong Kong Barrel, thru passage to end.

Tiny Kong

Here's a simple Banana to get.

You'll just need Mini Monkey power and make sure that lil' Diddy has turned the red hot lava into water.



▶ Shoot switch on building with angry face and step inside. Turn into Mini Monkey, into water and small hole. Kill cros for Banana.

Lanky Kong

Lanky must match monkey sounds in his secret area to get Banana.



▲ Into five door building in second area. Into water and find Lanky Switch. Shoot vulture four times.



▲ Into Llama Temple. Shoot switch near Tag Barrel. Match sounds by shooting monkey heads.



▲ Get into five door building by hitting Grape Switch. Shoot switches to get to Challenge Barrel.

Chunky Kong

There's nothing too difficult for Chunky on this level.

But because he moves a little slowly, he gets hit much more easily by the pesky wasps and cros.

▶ Into Temple with angry face, down slope and play triangle on Music Pad. Into door, kill cros for a Golden Banana.



Frantic Factory

Time to get the Factory cogs turning once more

To get all Golden Bananas, you must get the Factory working again. Donkey'll do this by going into the High Voltage hut.

Blueprints

When you see a Kasplat, notice the colour of its Shockwave attack. This'll show whose Blueprint he's holding.

► Tiny Kasplat in room with up pole off Storage Room. Donkey Half way up Production Room on ledge. Chunky Kasplat in toys room.



Donkey Kong

Donkey must use his arcade playing skills to get two Golden Bananas.



► To arcade game. Play first four levels for Golden Banana. In red passage off toys room. Simian Slam numbers, lowest to highest.



► R & D room. Down hole behind metal door next to Diddy Music Pad. Into metal hut. Pull lever to turn on Factory and get Banana.



► Into newly opened door in Production Room, next to Warp Tile 4. Use Strong Kong, to end of passage for another Golden Banana.

Diddy Kong

Diddy's impressive jumping power must be used here in order to reach the high places that the other Kongs just can't reach.



► Simian Spring to Challenge Barrel on top of toy blocks using Diddy Pad. Into door next to Music Pad in R & D room to Challenge Barrel.



► Into R & D room and look for the Music Pad. Open door and Chimp Charge the numbers on three doors. Now go after King K. Rool's cronies.



► Production Room, hit switch on ground level. Up about half way to Diddy pad. Simian Spring and a Golden Banana is yours for the taking.

Tiny Kong

It's Tiny's turn to beat the boss, and it's the hardest yet.

The camera angle may confuse you when Ponytail Twirling to platforms.



► Find the Mini Monkey Barrel in a room containing alphabet blocks. Through passage and shoot items in the correct order to earn a Golden Banana.



► Into Mini Monkey Barrel which is in the room with arcade machine. Go through passage on top of the boxes for Golden Banana. Now add it to your stash.



► Into metal door in R & D room with Tiny, banana trail leading through. Use Mini Monkey power to win race. Slam your foot to the floor, 'cos this is a toughie.

► Jack in the Box boss. Avoid Box by Ponytail Twirling. Wait 'til he lands on a square and Simian Slam the same coloured switch. Repeat a few times and he'll be dead 'n' buried.



► Up three escalators, half way up Production Room to Challenge Barrel. Ponytail Twirl to it. Then shoot Golden Bananas.



Lanky Kong

Orangstand up the last pipe or you'll slide all the way back down.



► Simian Slam on Lanky Switch in Production Room. Up to top of room for Golden Banana. Step on Bananaport Pad 4 to reveal cool shortcut.



► Press B on Lanky Pad near Tag Barrel in toys room. Baboon Balloon up to Challenge Barrel. Match Bananas on fruit machine to win prize.



► Play Trombone Tremor on Music Pad in R & D room to smash glass. Go inside and copy the Kremling colour on keyboard.

Chunky Kong

Time for Chunky to prove himself. He'll be battling enemies galore and punching metal switches to get his Golden Bananas.



► In R & D room, into door two to the right of Diddy Music Pad room. Enter. Primate Punch switch, defeat enemies and get yourself a Golden Banana.



► Storage Room. Primate Punch metal grate door. Enter. Simian Slam crate and the switch underneath. Primate Punch the metal switch, jump up platforms.



► Primate Punch metal grate near arcade machine room. Challenge Barrel. Collect every coin and make it to finish line before time expires. Phew!



► Simian Slam switch on Production Room ground floor then use Bananaport Pad 4 to get up to the Golden Banana. What ya waitin' for?

Gloomy Galleon

Loadsa sunken treasures to nab in this wet world

To get all the Bananas here, you'll have to raise and lower the water. Do this by hitting the switches underneath the lighthouse.

Blueprints

The Kasplats are easy to find if you know the different areas in the level.



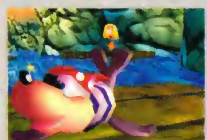
▲ Donkey Use Bananaport Pad 4 near Candy, then drop. Chunky Kasplat in sunken ship area.



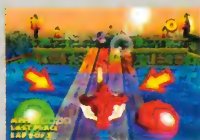
▲ Tiny Use vines in cannon area to get Kasplat. Lanky Raise water, into first room on right as you enter for Kasplat.

Donkey Kong

Donkey will release the pirate seal, swim through a dark sunken ship, turn on a lighthouse and race in a boat. Tough going, eh?



▲ Play Barrel Blast at foot of lighthouse to free a seal. Find him in sunken ship area next to Candy. Get Golden Banana.



▲ Near Funky is Music Pad. Play bongos, open door, into sunken ship. In door behind seal, win race for Golden Banana.



▲ Hit switch under lighthouse to raise water. Up to lighthouse. Simian Slam DK Switch, up to top. Pull lever for Banana.

Diddy Kong

You'll need Lanky and Enguarde, but it's Diddy who gets the rewards.



▲ Jet Barrel at foot of the lighthouse, onto Kremling Galleon. Then Simian Slam switch. Now grab the Golden Banana from the very top of the lighthouse.



▲ In sunken ship area, as Lanky, switch to Enguarde. Jump into DK Star three times. Enter treasure room as Diddy Kong. On pad, up to Challenge Barrel.



▲ Play Diddy's Guitar Gazump on Music Pad at top of lighthouse. Run to sunken ship area and into fish. Shoot circles on its heart three times each.



▲ Lowered water, to Funky, play Guitar Gazump on Music Pad. In sunken ship for challenge. Collect coins. Last one's above the water. Use vines to get it.

Tiny Kong

Happy endings. There's a sad mermaid at the bottom of the lighthouse area.

Tiny must find her stolen pearls in a chest, so she'll smile again.

► See mermaid at bottom of lighthouse. Turn into Mini Monkey. Into chest. Collect pearls, give to mermaid.



▲ As Diddy, open door opposite lighthouse passage. Simian Slam Tiny Switch near door. Into sunken ship on left of area, Challenge Barrel.



▲ Swim to bottom of water under Funky in sunken ship area. Turn into Mini Monkey, into submarine. Challenge Barrel, bash bugs in time.



▲ Near Funky in sunken ship area is Music Pad. Use and this door opens in sunken ship. Swim inside and a Golden Banana is waiting for you.

Lanky Kong

Lanky has been given the task of defeating the boss on this level, but he's got it easy!

All he has to do is steer through stars and this boss'll be fish food in no time.

► Hit switch outside sunken ship area door. Swim to far left sunken ship. Smash chests as Enguarde then through to a Golden Banana.



▲ Stand on Lanky Pad in treasure room. Baboon Balloon to Challenge Barrel. Play trombone on Music Pad by Funky. Into ship.



▲ Boss Troff 'n' Scoff curtain in cannon room up above on far left of area. Drive boat through DK Stars to defeat boss. Easy.

Chunky Kong

To get one of Chunky's Golden Bananas, the water level must be raised. Do this by hitting the switches underneath the lighthouse.



▲ Into first room on right as you enter level, make sure water is raised. Carry cannonball to cannon then hit targets.



▲ In cannon area on far right are three large chests. Primate Punch 'em all to claim your Golden Banana prize.

Fungi Forest

Turn night into day to grab all the Bananas

Just like in Banjo Kazooie's Click Clock Wood, you must change time.

But instead of altering the seasons, you'll have to turn Fungi Forest from night to day. Do this by shooting the Sun and Moon symbols at the top of the pendulum tree. So, what are you waiting for? Get goin'!

Blueprints

The Kasplats aren't difficult to find on this level.

After a bit of exploration you should find them easily.



▲ Donkey Kong Behind house with rose bushes in water mill area is Kasplat. Get him and a Blueprint will be yours, all yours.



▲ Diddy Half way up inside of giant mushroom is Kasplat with Diddy Blueprint. Give him a good hiding to get reward.



▲ Tiny Half way up the outside of the giant mushroom (get to it from inside) is Kasplat with Tiny Blueprint. Get it!



▲ Lanky Under the autumn tree is another Kasplat with a Blueprint.



▲ Chunky Up giant mushroom on outside is Kasplat with Chunky Blueprint.

Donkey Kong

Wrinkly Kong gave you a clue about the order in which Donkey Kong must pull the levers in the water mill. Were you paying attention?



▲ Night. Into water mill as Tiny, be Chunky in second room. Punch ? crate. Donkey, hit switch. Pull levers in 21132 sequence. Outside, grab Banana.



▲ Half way up giant mushroom is Donkey Kong Pad. Stand on it, press Z for Barrel Blast game. Get ready for a Challenge Barrel. It's at the end.



▲ Into giant mushroom, ground level. All Kongs shoot switches to release cannons. Donkey must Simian Slam his switch, cannon up to Banana.

Diddy Kong

It's rude to wake someone when they're fast asleep, but Diddy must disturb an owl in the autumn tree area to get one of his Bananas.



▲ Night. Autumn tree area. Play guitar on switch to wake owl. Fly through his rings for a Challenge Barrel reward.



▲ Night. Water mill area. Simian Spring up to door in wood hut and in. Follow the planks to get that Golden Banana.

Tiny Kong

Tiny fights a scary spider boss on this level. She must shoot it in the eye, very much like Link when faced with Queen Gohma.



▲ Autumn tree area, mud tower. Into Mini Monkey Barrel. Turn small, play Tiny's Saxophone Slam on Music Pad. Into mud tower, kill the crocs and you'll have no problems getting the seed.

► Night. Into small mousehole on side of water mill. Inside, through cobweb passage. Kill spider babies then shoot it in the eye. Painful, or what?



▲ Take seed from mud tower and put in bare soil off main pendulum tree area. Turn into Mini Monkey, play Saxophone Slam to get to Banana.



Lanky Kong

After having to battle the boss on the last level, Lanky's got it easy now! Next level he'll have his Orangstand Sprint and a lot more work to do!



▲ As Diddy, Jetpac to top of giant mushroom. Change to Lanky on ledge, Simian Slam switch on top. Inside door, bounce to your next Golden Banana.



▲ Night. Climb to water mill roof and into entrance. Simian Slam Lanky Switch, kill bats.

Chunky Kong

Chunky's turn to battle the boss. Better slap that Dragon.



▲ In water mill area, Simian Slam on well grate. Collect 50 DK Coins in rollercoaster race for Golden Banana.



▲ Chunky Day. Into water mill escalator room. Put three metal barrels on to escalator to smash engine. A Golden Banana is now yours. ◀ Dragon boss Troff 'n' Scoff curtain at top of giant mushroom. Chuck TNT Barrels at Dragon then beat it up quickly.



Creepy Castle

Yikes! Skeletons and Kremling ghouls everywhere

At this point in the game, press Pause and check your Totals screen. If you have fifteen Banana Medals, go see Cranky! He'll let you play Jetpac!

Blueprints



Wooden door and Kasplat on the lowest section are tricky to find.
Go past first stairs and look for tree with Lanky Coins. Climb down it.

◀ Tiny Continue on from wooden door on lowest section for Kasplat. Lanky Second door up with gap, in. Kasplat by Candy.

Donkey Kong

Donkey must use his new Sniper skill. Instead of searching for Funky's Armoury, leave the level and go see him in Jungle Japes.



▲ Play Barrel Blast game just past first plank to open tree door. Go inside. Through water to floating wood, sniper targets to earn another cool prize.



▲ Donkey In wooden door on lowest level. Into skull on first left. Find levers. Hit top left, top right then bottom left, enter door. Make sure you win the race.



▲ Find switch past Ballroom. Simian Slam and run back to Library. Kill enemies on left to open right door.



▲ Donkey Second door up with gap, enter. First door on left. Simian Slam tiles to create Donkey Kong's face.

Diddy Kong

Jet Barrel to get Golden Bananas, Coins and Banana Bunch Coins.



◀ Second door up with gap, go inside. Take first door on left. Simian Slam Diddy Pad to open door. Sniper Peanut Switch, swing to Golden Banana.



▲ Jet Barrel by Bananaport Pad 2 to go right to top of Castle. Challenge Barrel.



▲ Into Ballroom. Kill enemies to expose Jet Barrel. Light tops of candles. In Challenge Barrel.

Tiny Kong

She's only small, but Tiny's got just as much work to do on this level.



▲ Into second door up. First left, Ponytail Twirl across gap. Into lowest wooden door. Into boneshock opposite skull. Jump across hands.



▲ Go to set of huts near Bananaport Pad 4. Become Mini Monkey and bounce onto the mushroom and into metal bin. Shoot flies for Golden Banana.



▲ Into Ballroom. Use Monkeyport Pad to warp into Library. Become Mini Monkey by jumping into Tiny Barrel. Into shack to race for a Golden Banana.

Lanky Kong

To get to the incredibly hard boss battle, you'll have to be Lanky. However, once he's there, all the Kongs'll have a chance to kill it.



▲ Into tower at top near Bananaport Pad 5. Sniper the higher switches to open grate. Float up to Challenge Barrel.



▲ It's boss time again! Cannonball the correct one when it appears. Good timing's needed and don't go for fake pics.



▲ To set of huts near Warp Tile 4. Simian Slam Lanky Switch, enter greenhouse. You'd better get to end of maze in time.



▲ Into wooden door on lowest part of level. Into boneshock opposite skull. Orangstand Sprint past gate, swing across vines to Golden Banana.



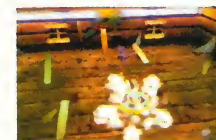
▲ Into second door up with gap. Take first door on left, Simian Slam the Lanky Switch. Baboon Balloon across to the Challenge Barrel. Time to go ape!

Chunky Kong

Make sure you've got Chunky's Primate Punch before entering this level.



▲ Into tree that Donkey opened. Smash log. Sniper target. Into Museum. Primate Punch shields, put boulder on table.



▲ Primate Punch wooden door in shack near Bananaport Pad 4, go in. Smash crate, turn invisible on pad, kill all the bats.



▲ Into wooden door on lowest part of level. In skull face, find Pineapple Switch, in door. Primate Punch coffins for Challenge Barrel.

Next month

We'll reveal Crystal Caves, Hideout Helm and the final stash of Golden Bananas. Also, we'll tell you the best way to bash King K. Rool's hairy butt. 'Til then...



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Club Mario

HERE'S THE BIT OF THE MAGAZINE THAT YOU WRITE...

✓ Letters ✓ Art ✓ You Review ✓ Ask Miyamoto ✓ Brain Strain ✓ Ask Rare

Welcome back to
Club Mario,
Nintendoids. We hope
Christmas brought
you everything
you wanted, and
more besides!
We've had tons
of letters about
what you've
been playing on
your N64 and
Game Boy Color, so
let's join Rich and
Dave and get the
show on the road...



Rich Dave

"Super Smash Bros. is the best
beat 'em up on the N64. Me and
my mates can't put it down. I'm
the king with Fox McCloud."

'Fox' Weaver, Truro

■ It's the best beat 'em up on the
N64. If you're looking for an ace fight
fest, check it out. **Dave**

"I got Rocket Robot on Wheels for
Christmas, and I just want to say
it's brilliant. The levels are ace and
Rocket's an excellent character."

David Duncan, South Shields

■ Rocket was a real surprise. He's a
cool, original character with bags of
personality. We love him. **Rich**

Reader Chart

Alex Sobell supplies this month's
Reader Chart, sporting an
awesome collection of games.
If you wanna get your chart in
Club Mario, send us your top five
games, along with a
photo to the usual
Club Mario address.



- 1 Shadow Man
- 2 Goldeneye 007
- 3 The Legend of Zelda
- 4 1080° Snowboarding
- 5 Super Mario 64

"Thank you Nintendo. Donkey
Kong 64 is the best game ever and
it really made my Christmas. The
new Kongs are brilliant and the
mini games are a real laugh."

Colin Harding, Upwey, Weymouth

■ DK64 is the game of the year. If
you love mini games, wait 'til you
reach the arcade machine. **Rich**

■ Don't forget our Mega Challenge.
Rambi Arena's a great laugh. **Dave**

"Donkey Kong
64's easily
better than
Zelda. I've
played Donkey
Kong Country
and DK Land 2 on my Game Boy
and it gets better each time. I
think it'll knock Zelda off the top."

Ashley Twist, Peckham

■ It seems everyone loves DK64, and
it isn't surprising 'cos the game's a
belter. No wonder it took two and a
half years to make! **Rich**

■ Zelda could regain the Nintendo
top spot once Zelda The Continuing
Saga comes out next Christmas. Only
time will tell. **Dave**



Congratulations
to Daniel Hayes
for his Pokémon
Snap picture.

Can you do
better? Send your ace pack to
the usual Club Mario address.
You could win a cool N64
game for your troubles.

"The best title of 1999 has to be
Donkey Kong 64. It's an incredible
game. The graphics are amazing
and the characters are awesome.

In fact, everything about it is
brilliant. My prediction for best
game of 2000 is Perfect Dark."

Nick Parsons, Hastings, East Sussex

■ I don't think there are too
many readers who disagree with
either of your comments. **Rich**

■ It's been a bumper year for
Nintendo. There's been so many
quality games to choose from. This
year looks like being just as good, if
not better. Bring it on! **Dave**

"I'm a big fan of wrestling so I
bought WWF Attitude. It's a great
game, but a few modes are
missing. WWF Wrestlemania 2000
will kick its ass to the canvas!"

David Clark, Westcliff, Essex

■ What d'ya mean, David? They're
bloomin' excellent grapple fests. At
least you know you can't go wrong
with WWF Wrestlemania 2000 or
WWF Attitude. Both games'll really
rock your Nintendo 64. **Rich**



"I'm really into
racing games.
Should I get
Roadsters or
World Driver
Championship?"

Daniel Amos, Ferndown

■ It's a close call, but we think you
should go for Roadsters for its wicked
playability and looks. **Rich**

You Review

Do you know your games? Can you spot a classic a mile
off and smell a stinker straight away? Then why not write
a review on one of your favourite or worst games.
Use this month's winner as an example. Don't forget to
include a piccy of yourself and send your entry to the
usual Club Mario address. Good luck, Nintendoids.

READER'S NAME Oliver McEnergy

GAME NAME Mario Golf

Best bit There are loads
of secret characters and
courses. You'll never get
bored, especially in the
four player mode.

Worst bit The secret
characters are really
hard to get. It'll take you
ages to win them.

Graphics
They're the
best ever
seen in an a golf game.
It's a real looker.

Overall You don't have
to be a golf fan to like
Mario Golf. Get it, it's a
brilliant game. **92%**



Name That Game

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

1 This water gun totin' Pokémon's a blast.

2 Rayman's fairy friend.

3 This arcade rock blaster is back on GBC.

4 & 10 Get Ready 2 Rumble with this tough chick.

6 & 8 This cute

babe kicks zombie butt.

5 Fingers on the trigger for this brilliant dino hunter.

7 Conga launches 'em at Banjo.

9 This Power Pill gobbler is munchin' mad on your portable pal.



"I would like to know about the new colour N64s. Will shops swap the black 64s for a colour one?"

Patrick Major, Bristol

■ We think you'll struggle to find a shop that'll swap N64s. You're gonna have to hand over some dosh to get one, I'm afraid. Sorry mate! **Dave**

"I don't know why so many people are complaining about the price of Donkey Kong 64. You're getting the N64 Expansion Pak for £10 which will be important to play future games such as Perfect Dark and the next Zelda game."

Mark Odell, Daventry

■ Here's someone who knows their maths. You're right, if you haven't got an N64 Expansion Pak, it's a cheap way of getting one. **Dave**
It's a shame there isn't the option to buy DK64 on its own, but remember you can't play the game without one. Better safe than sorry. **Rich**

"Of course International Superstar Soccer Millennium will be number one when it comes out in a couple of months. It'll be the best footy game on any console. All those people who support FIFA know nothing about football games. I can't wait to play the new ISS."

Timothy Ward, Newcastle upon Tyne

■ We're spoilt for choice when it comes to footy games on the N64. ISS Millennium'll have you jumping for joy when it comes out. The new Career mode is great fun. **Rich**
■ We have to disagree about the FIFA series. FIFA 99 was a fave in the office and it's a real shame that FIFA 2000 isn't coming to the Nintendo 64. At least ISS Millennium will more than make up for it. **Dave**

"After seeing your review of Resident Evil 2 and having played Shadow Man I've got to say Resident Evil 2 looks as if it'll win the scare test. It looks terrifying!"

Kurt Steiner, Frankfurt, Germany

■ They both give me sleepless nights. But for sheer nastiness Resident Evil 2 has to win. If you like scary games, you've gotta get it. You won't be disappointed. **Rich**

"I'm thinking of selling my GreyStation to get some dosh for Nintendo games. If I do sell it, I might take a look at Mario Party. But I still don't understand what it is. Please could you tell me a little bit more about it."

John Durant, Northampton

■ Mario Party is an ace board game. Your objective is to collect Power Stars either by winning 'em in mini games, buying 'em or stealing from the your opposition. **Dave**

■ The mini games are the best part of Mario Party. At the end of each round, the game pauses and you all battle it out for more coins. It's a brilliant game. You should get it! **Rich**

"The first game for Dolphin should be Mario and Banjo. The new machine is going to be so powerful, it could feature both heroes in one. That would be cool."

Shane Pringle, Glasgow

■ What a brilliant idea, playing part of the quest as Mario and the remainder of the adventure as Banjo. Unfortunately, it ain't gonna happen. Such a shame, Shane. **Rich**

■ There's no way Nintendo will join Mario and Banjo together. That said, I'm sure Luigi and Kazooie would make a great partnership. **Dave**



Ask Miyamoto!



Ever since Mr Miyamoto agreed to answer FIVE questions from NOM readers each month, our mail bags have been bulging at the seams even more than normal!

Just remember, Mr Miyamoto's the man who invented Donkey Kong, Zelda and Mario, so he's the best person to give you insider knowledge on the Big N.

Q Are there any plans underway for a 3D Pokémon adventure on the new Nintendo Dolphin?

A Unfortunately, I'm not allowed to answer this question right now. However, it's safe to say that Dolphin will be a new frontier for the world of Pokémon.

Q You've created some of the best videogames ever made - and that's a fact! What ambitions do you still have? Is there a game that you desperately want to make?

A Thank you very much! Yes, of course I have ambitions, and new gaming technology such as Dolphin gets me very excited. At the moment I'm thinking about projects which are so strange that you might not be able to call them games at all!

Q It's the end of an era. Do you feel sad that Nintendo's next console won't be able to use cartridges?

A Even though Dolphin uses new technology for its games, I must admit that I'm sad to move away from cartridges. The cart format allowed games to load instantly, which I love. On the other hand, with the improvements in gaming technology and the fact that making consoles is getting cheaper, we can now have a large memory RAM in the console, which helps keep loading times short. Anyway, I'm sure that we'll be able to give you a brand new gaming world by making use of our clever techniques.

Q The Game Boy Advance sounds brilliant. Are you working on any games for this system? Any planned Zelda titles?

A As Advance is a Nintendo product, I've been involved as a matter of course. Though I'm spending more time on Dolphin, I hope to make some Game Boy Advance titles which are completely packed with unique ideas.

Q We love Pokémon at NOM. Who is your favourite Pokémon and why?

A I'd have to say that I like sweet little Psyduck the best. It's because he always looks like he's in trouble, making him a very unique character, and extremely loveable.



Send your Miyamoto questions to the usual address.

Ask Rare!



Rare's very own Uncle Tusk is in the hot seat to answer more of your gaming questions. Be warned! Don't ask a question if you can't take a rude Tusk answer!

■ **"Will there be different vehicles in the N64's Mickey's Racing Adventure?"**
Russell Lawrence, Bursledon
We're doing an N64 version? Suppose we'd better get started! The GBC version's got cars and boats, what more do you want? Planes...? Less of your cheek, sunshine.

■ **"Why did you choose a woman for the lead role in Perfect Dark?"**
Liam Golding, Dartford
"We thought it was time for a female lead character to be realistically and believably portrayed," says the PD team, and you can't argue with that. Let's just hope she doesn't lose interest halfway through the mission and decide to go shopping instead...

■ **"Blast Corps was a great idea. Are you experimenting with any other brand new gaming ideas at the moment?"**
Robert Hough, Lisburn
Most gamers wouldn't know a 'brand new gaming idea' if it came up and kicked them! Nevertheless, we're always up for a bit of experimentation with fresh twists to established genres as well as completely new ideas... just wait and see.

■ **"What happened to the DKR clan? I heard Timber was getting a game..."**
James Carle, Birmingham
And where did you hear that, exactly? I like to think that Wizpig kicked Timber's face off after the DKR credits - which is only fair, after all - but I suppose there's always a chance of the boggle-eyed tiger dusting himself off for a comeback, one day.

■ **"Banjo's necklace looks like a tooth. What animal was it taken from?"**
Nicola Minford, Runcorn
The artist claims it was taken from a shark. Not sure how that lumbering, gulping idiot bear could take on a shark and win. Snacker's more than a match for him.

**Check out Rare's site, at www.rareware.com
You can ask Uncle Tusk questions on line.**

"Thanks for making the right decision for me. I had to choose between WWF Attitude or a CD player for my birthday. I bought your mag and your review of it was brilliant, so detailed and every bit true. Stuff the CD player!"
Nick Corcoran, Luton

■ You can always trust what we say, 'cos we're mad for games. We'll always tell it like it is. If we say a game's great, you know it is. **Rich**

"Pokémon Snap looks classy, but Pokémon Stadium's gonna be even better. What's wrong with Anthony Harding from Issue 87?"
George Blake, London

■ We couldn't agree more, George. Pokémon is the best! It's just a shame Anthony's gonna miss out on all the fun the rest of us are having. **Dave**

"When is Excitebike 64 coming out? It rocked on the old NES."
Joseph Kennedy, Dunkerrin, Ireland
■ We're expecting it in the shops for Easter. If you're a fan of off road bikes, give Supercross 2000 a look. It'll keep you more than happy 'til then. **Rich**

"I love beat 'em ups. So what do you reckon's better, Xena Warrior Princess or Super Smash Bros? I know I can trust you guys."

Steven Stone, Gosport, Hants
■ They're both great games, but Super Smash Bros. gets the nod. It's got all yer Nintendo all stars, plus some red hot gameplay. **Rich**

■ Xena fans won't be disappointed with the game. It's also got all the characters from the TV series. **Dave**

"I think the free stuff you give away is dead brill and the Pokémon poster and trading cards were ace. Keep up the good work."

Grant McAllister, Ellon, Aberdeenshire
■ They're great, aren't they? Look out for even more goodies for the rest of 2000. We've got some great give aways up our sleeves. **Rich**

"I've got a quezzie for you. My mate says that in Pokémon you can get a secret character called Togepi. If so, tell me!"

David Doyle, Carlow, Ireland
■ Can you feel yer leg being pulled, David? Your pal's having you on! Togepi does exist, but only in Pokémon Silver and Gold. **Rich**

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"I've heard a code to get Pikablu in Pokémon, but I can't get it to work. It's an official cheat, so why can't I get Pikablu?"
Usama Mageed
■ There are NO official cheats. Pikablu appears in Pokémon Silver and Gold, but he isn't anywhere in the Red and Blue versions.

"Do Tamsin and Nicola on NOM play Diddy Kong Racing? If they don't, give them a game... they'll love it!"
Brian Kilburn
■ They don't play DKR, Brian, but they lurve Mario Kart 64. They play it every day, but Dave and Shaun always beat 'em. Heh, heh, heh...

"My brother reckons that the GreyStation 2 is going to be the best console ever, but I know Nintendo Dolphin will be, so could you keep me posted on any news on it."
Andy Grieve
■ Stay tuned to NOM all this year, Andy. As always, we'll be first with all the Dolphin news. Your brother's gonna eat his words. You'll see!

"Please, please, please can you tell me where I can get hold of the Super NES and NES Zelda adventures? I've just played Link's Awakening on the Game Boy and it's brill!"
Matt Milner
■ You'll have to search second hand shops for these games. They're hard to get these days, but keep searching and you'll find 'em.

"The Toy Story 2 toys look awesome. Where can I get them?"
Sean Clifford
■ Check out your local Disney Store. They should be in the shops now.

A few e-mail rules

We promise to reply to as many e-mails as possible, but we need help from you. Follow these guidelines and make our lives easier...

- Keep to short messages! We don't have time to read 500 word e-mails.
- Number your questions and keep 'em brief.
- Put everything in one e-mail, rather than sending six.
- Look at page 3 of the mag. Only send e-mails to the right people.

Answers

Who's the hell...?
(1) Buck Bumble
(2) Doom
(3) Rat Attack
(4) Rakka Kida
(5) DKR
(6) Name the game
(7) Michael Owen's WJL 2000
(8) Rogue Squadron
(9) DKR
(10) Micro Machines 4 Turbo
(11) The Big Question
(12) 1988
(13) Jannet's Calendar
(14) Taser
(15) Name the game
(16) Blast Corps

General knowledge
(1) Mario 2
(2) Silly
(3) 21st
(4) Luke
(5) Home Improvement
(6) M
(7) Leon Kennedy and Claire Redfield
(8) nsmgm
(9) 40 Winks
(10) Damb
(11) Nintendo
(12) Falco
(13) Mario
(14) Duke Nukem
(15) Ravana



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Welcome to the country's biggest monster club. It's **Pokémon Centre**, home of the **Official Pokémon League** and loads more Poké fun.

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Official Pokémon League

So you think your Pokémon squad's unbeatable, eh? Think your Mewtwo's the best around? Well, now's your chance to prove how tough you really are.

Later this year, Nintendo Official Magazine will be touring the length and breadth of the UK, looking for the most powerful Pokémon Trainer in the land.

The dates haven't been set yet, nor have the rules. But stick with us! We'll hopefully have all the details next ish. But for now, send us a list of your six best Pokémon with your name, age, address and a photo of yourself. Good luck!



Challenge me!

When the **Official Pokémon League** hits the road this year, you'll get the chance to challenge **NOM editor, Dave**.

Dave's been playing Pokémon longer than anyone else, and his Pokémon team's sure to stomp all over ya. If you want to feel the fury of Dave's Mewtwo, enter the League and you could get to challenge him, face to face.

Just remember, Dave knows every trick in the book, so you'll need skill, not luck, if you're gonna take 'im down.

Get practising, Pokémaniacs! You've got a lotta work to do.

The address for entries is...
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The training continues

We've had soooooo many entries for the Pokémon League that we're gonna need a bigger office soon!

We only have space to print a tiny selection of these entries, but they should give you an idea of how the competition is shapin' up.

And remember, we can spot Poké cheaters a mile away! We've got a secret way to tell players who've cloned items to get Lv 100 Pokémon without the proper effort, and they'll be disqualified.

Michael Sherwood, Guildford

Mewtwo	Level 82
Charizard	Level 72
Blastoise	Level 71
Venusaur	Level 69
Articuno	Level 59
Golem	Level 43

"Good team, young Michael. Mewtwo's an excellent leader, and you have a decent mix of Pokémon Types. Give that Golem some training, though."

Christian Walsh, Stroud

Mewtwo	Level 81
Venusaur	Level 66
Charizard	Level 66
Zapdos	Level 41
Articuno	Level 63
Alakazam	Level 59

"You've been good, Christian, keeping your Pokémon at similar Levels. Now it's time to push 'em all as high as your Mewtwo to get a formidable Pokémon team."

Joe Chamberlain, Cornwall

Mewtwo	Level 70
Gengar	Level 60
Venusaur	Level 58
Articuno	Level 57
Wigglytuff	Level 54
Arbok	Level 52

"Another good Pokémon team. It's good to see a Wigglytuff making his way to the Official Pokémon League. And that Gengar's bound to be a winner."

Siobhan Keoghan, Cheshire

Wartortle	Level 33
Vulplux	Level 32
Diglett	Level 22
Charmeleon	Level 18
Pidgey	Level 16
Bellsprout	Level 14

"Your team needs some training, Siobhan. Your brother, Sean, sent in a strong team, and he's good enough to compete in the League. He'll give you hints."

Poké Art

Thanks for the thousands of Poliwhag pics you sent us. We wish we had space to print 'em all!

We want you to draw a Gastly this month, so get scribbling.



▲ That Weedle doesn't stand a chance against lil' Poliwhag! John Zeepvat from Milton Keynes is the Poké artist.

▶ Poliwhag takes on his wimpiest foe yet... a GreyStation! This pic was drawn by Tom Whitmore, Wigston.

◀ Awww, a lady Poliwhag... too cute! Thanks to Sarah Doyle for the ace pic.

▼ Eight year old Joseph Farrar drew this wicked pic. So young, yet so talented!



▲ Poliwhag's a little cutie, and the amazing pictures you sent to Pokémon Centre made us smile all month! Keep 'em coming.



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▲ Richard Ashcroft from Leicestershire managed to get Poliwhag, Psyduck and a Diglett into his pic.

▶ Another of our favourite Poliwhag pics, this time from Benjamin Sneddon Williams from Flintstone. Cool!

POLIWHAG is stronger



than YOU THINK!

How to draw Gastly

We want you to draw Gastly! Here are some hints...

1



2



3



▲ Gastly's gonna scare yer pants off!

Pokémoniac of the month

This month's Pokémoniac is Guy Cramphorn from Goole.

Guy sent in some photos of his cool Pokémon collection, which includes loadsa brill gadgets 'n' gizmos which aren't out yet in the UK.

He's getting a Game Boy Color and Pokémon Blue for Christmas, and here he is with his favourite Pokémon, Squirtle, and his cuddly lil' Pikachu. Cool stuff, Guy!

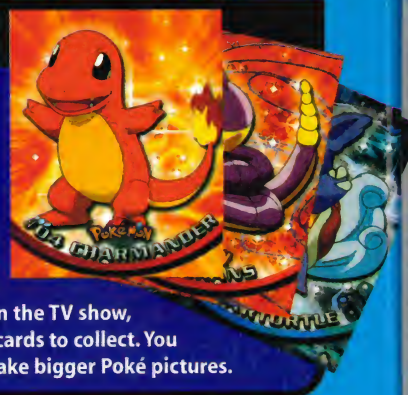


Poké Mart

If you've got money to spend on Poké stuff, keep an eye open for the cool Poké Mart stuff we like.

Topps Pokémon Cards

These new Topps Pokémon Trading Cards are coming out in the UK this year, but loadsa shops are stocking American versions. They're based on the TV show, and there are tons of special shiny cards to collect. You can even piece them together to make bigger Poké pictures.



Your Poké Tips

If you've found any cool stuff when playing Pokémon, make sure to send your hints to Professor Oak. He'll tell you if he thinks they're any good or not...



■ "If you're looking for Poliwhigs, try the pond in Viridian City. I've caught loads of them in this little pool using a Super Rod." *Mike Broad, Cambridge.*

■ "Don't give up on Magikarp! Train them to Level 15 and they'll learn Tackle, making it easier to evolve 'em into the awesome Gyarados." *Gary Whitehouse, Sutton.*

"That's true, Mike! And if you can't catch Poliwhirls, try the pond in the middle of Celadon City. There are loads of 'em hiding there."

"Magikarp don't evolve 'til Level 20 but, once they do, you'll get Gyarados, a fearsome fighter who'll help your team no end."

■ "To catch Legendary Bird Moltres, make sure you send him to sleep first. He's powerful, so keeping him asleep is your only hope." *Mark Waugh, Aberdeen.*

■ "Chanseys are only found in the Safari Zone and Unknown Dungeon, but the ones in the Zone can be trained hard to get more powerful and useful Pokémon fighters." *Jenny Bamber, Kent.*

"Good tip, Mark. In fact, you should send all the Legendary Birds to sleep before you start chuckin' Poké Balls. They're the hardest Pokémon to nab."

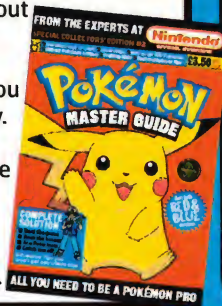
"The Safari Zone Chanseys are only found at higher Levels, so you can't make them learn the best moves by Levelling up."

■ "If you're low on money, sell Nuggets in Poké Marts. The people behind the counter will give you 5000 dollars for each one! Also, when you beat the Elite Four, battle 'em over and over again to fill Ash's pockets with Poké dollars!" *Graham Philips, Doncaster.*

"Another good way to raise cash is to train Meowth to Level 17 and get the Pay Day attack. This scatters coins every time, which you can then collect and spend."

Want to get all 150 monsters? Wanna find out everything there is to know about Pokémon? Look no further!

Nintendo Official Magazine has brought out a guide that tells you everything you need to know. Bash every boss, beat the game and catch 'em all with the best guide around.



Ultimate Poké Warrior

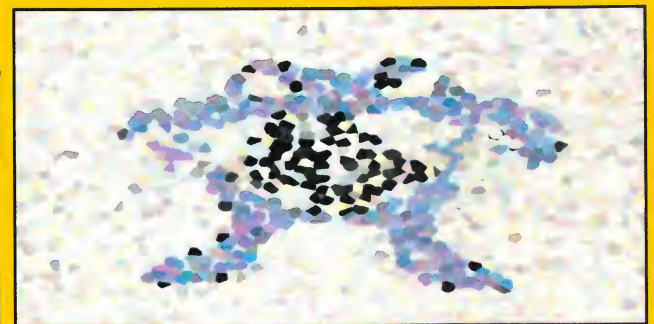
If you mix up the Pokémon, you can get some of the most fearsome fighters ever seen. Look at this freak! Send us a drawing of your Ultimate Poké Warrior and we'll try and print it in Pokémon Centre. You might even win a prize...



Hidden Poké Hero

Only true Pokémon Masters will be able to work out who this strange creature is. It looks like he's been trapped in a snow storm! By the way, last month's hidden Poké hero was... Kingler!

- My first attack is Doubleslap
- I'm a Water/Fighting Pokémon
- I evolve into my current form using a Water Stone
- I'm great at the front crawl and breast stroke
- You'll catch me in both the Red and Blue versions



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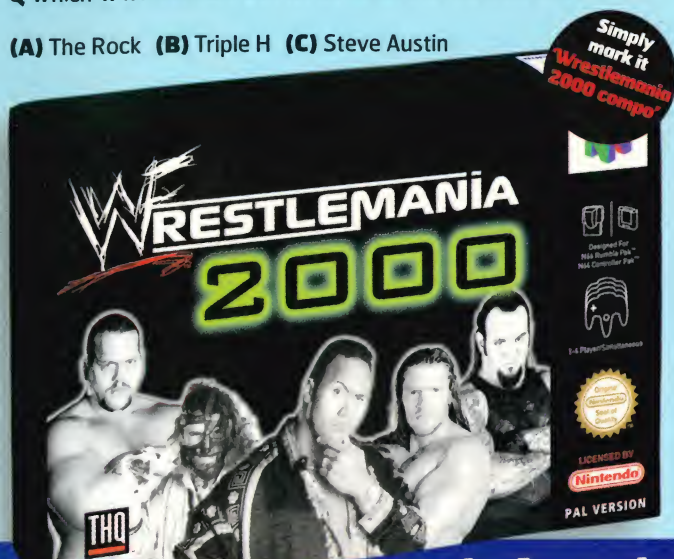
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Wrestle fest fun

Now's your chance to rule the ring! Our buddies at THQ have given us copies of WWF Wrestlemania 2000 for three lucky fight fans to win. To be in with a chance, just have a go at this tricky teaser...

Q Which WWF wrestler was an All-American football star?

(A) The Rock **(B)** Triple H **(C)** Steve Austin



Robot power

Rocket's one of the most original games to hit the N64 and, thanks to our friends at Ubi Soft, we've got three copies of the game up for grabs. If you wanna get your hands on this ace game, pull on yer thinking cap and have a go at this quessie...

Q What's the name of the amusement park where Rocket's adventure takes place?

(A) Disney World **(B)** Alton Towers **(C)** Whoopie World

This month, you can win Armorines, Rocket, Super Smash Bros, WWF Wrestlemania 2000 and Dragon Warrior Monsters. Good luck!

Blag Fest

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Okay, you've worked out the answers, what d'ya do now? Simply follow the checklist below before sending off your competition entry.

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(3) On the other side write the competition name and our address: Nintendo Official Magazine, EMAP Active 338-346 Goswell Road, London EC1V 7QP

(4) Put a stamp on your entry, kiss it for luck and post it.



Monster mashin'

If you love Pokémon, try Dragon Warrior Monsters. Thanks to our mates at Eidos, we've got our hands on ten copies of this fab game. To be in with a chance, answer this...

Q What's the name of the adventurer you play in Dragon Warrior Monsters?

(A) Tim **(B)** Terry **(C)** Tony

Smashin' time

Ever wanted to duff up Donkey Kong or mash Mario? Well now you can in this awesome fight fest! We've got three copies of this brill game to win, so have a pop at this 'un and you could be a winner...

Q Which of these Nintendo heroes does NOT appear in Super Smash Bros?

(A) Yoshi **(B)** Kirby **(C)** Diddy Kong



Save the world

Grab yer guns, it's time to lock 'n' load. Thanks to our chums at Acclaim, we've got three copies of Armorines to give away. Just answer this hard quessie correctly...

Q What are the deadly Privates called in Armorines?

(A) Laurel and Hardy
(B) Lewis and Lane
(C) Chicken and Chips

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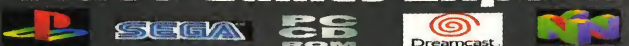


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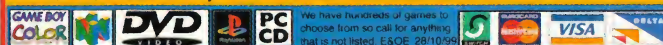
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Mario Party 2

Game Info

By: **Nintendo**
 Type: **Party game**
 Release: **Late 2000**



• All your Nintendo faves • Loads a new games • Fab four player fun

Grab yer silly hat and streamers, Nintendoids. Mazza and his pals are comin' round for some fun in Mario Party 2. Nasty ol' Bowser's up to his old tricks once again! He's invaded peaceful Mario Land and, like in the first Mario Party, it's your job to play loads a board games to stop him.

All your favourite Big N dūdes, from Yoshi to Donkey Kong, are back for more fun and games. This time around there are 64 mind blowing events to take part in. We bet you can't wait!

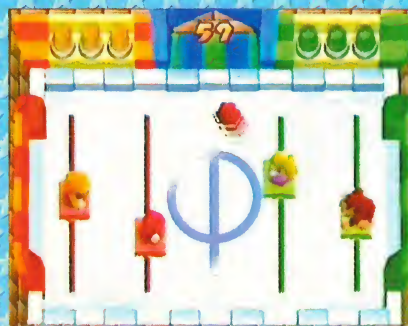
With its brill four player option for you and your pals to enjoy, this sequel is shaping up to be a right hoot. Let's take a look...



▲ Use your giant crane to rake up the mushrooms before the timer counts down to zero.
 ◀ Get shifting to block the red shell. Stop the other player from scoring!



▲ Slam your foot to the floor and use yer kart's magnet to pick up the goodies.





Heaps of games

The original Mario Party was chock full of fast 'n' frantic games to play, and Mario Party 2 is no different.

This time, all the wacky games and fab boards are brand new. So if you loved the original to death, you're gonna go mad over this!

▼ As you play your way round the boards, different routes will open up.



▲ Pieces of eight! On the Pirate Land board you'll have to face the hazards of the high seas. Don't get scared now...



▲ Mario and Luigi go head to head in a deadly duel. Who's quickest on the draw?

We think...

Mario Party 2 is shaping up to be a fantastic sequel. With loadsa hilarious new mini games to play to death and wacky boards to win, Nintendoids are in for a right treat, just like last time.

Duck Dodgers

Game Info

By: **Infogrames**
Type: **3D Platformer**
Release: **June 2000**



● Variety of challenges ● Lush graphics ● Save Earth

Marvin the Martian's been up to his old tricks again. Better send in good 'ol Duck Dodgers, the only man for the job.

The evil space invader has created the ultimate weapon. The only problem is that it's powered by atoms, and he'll need loads if he's to destroy Earth.

Now Duck Dodgers must use all his cunning skills to save the day. And luckily, he's got quite a few tricks up his sleeve. Let's take a look...



▲ Meet Duck Dodgers. He's the only one who can save Earth from certain destruction. But will he succeed?



▲ Even though you know something bad's gonna happen to our feathered friend, can you resist? Go on, press it!



▲ The weird chickens are proving a match for Dodgers. Judging by his health meter, it's not going too well.



▲ Don't spend time looking at the reflections. Grab one of the pots and smash it over his head.
◀ There are loadsa locations. Here, Duck Dodgers hits the streets to see what's cookin'. We hope it won't be him...

It's got the lot

Duck Dodgers' huge adventure is packed with loadsa very different challenges.

Brain numbing puzzles, huge boss battles and even a first person shooter. Add to this loadsa mini games and we could have an ace N64 adventure. Time will tell...

► The first person shooter section will drive you totally quackers. Blast those aliens before they get too close.



▲ Keep on the move. Heavy items are crashing to the floor. Too many hits and you'll return to the start.
◀ Here's Duck Dodgers without his super hero clobber on. He doesn't look quite as brave as he did before.



▲ Oh no, you've reached the end of the line. You'd better find a way across the canyon or Marvin will blow up Earth. Get crackin'!



▲ Reach the end and you'll face dastardly Marvin the Martian himself. It's time to go and get 'im, Duck Dodgers.



We think...

Duck Dodgers is a monster game and it'll be a tough challenge to get it spot on. But the version we saw was impressive and we think this'll be an absolute corker.



▲ There are evil terrorists in this village, so let's raze this place to the ground! Those flimsy huts won't last long.



▲ First things first. Take out the radar stations so you can sneak up on your enemies. It's pretty darn tactical, eh?

Nuclear Strike

● Loads of vehicles ● Huge levels ● Mega weapons to blast

Game Info

By: **THQ**

Type: **Helicopter blaster**

Release: **Jan 2000**



There's good news for blast 'em up fans with the arrival of **Nuclear Strike**.

Nintendoids will be able to take the controls of an American Apache helicopter and let loose with some serious gun power, destroying tanks, radars, boats and villages in huge 3D worlds.

The mission involves hunting down a group of nuclear terrorists, hell bent on starting World War 3. It'll take you from tropical islands to jungles, as you track down the bad guys and save the world.



▲ Your chopper can't take too much of a pounding.



▲ You've got to rescue a woman called Naja, and escort her to a rebel base.
▲ Just about everything can be destroyed in Nuclear Strike.

We think...

This is shaping up to be a classic blast 'em up, with amazing detail, ace fire power and some great lookin' levels. Check out next month's issue for our full review.

Tomb Raider

Lovers of Tomb Raider will soon be able to marvel at Lara's twin talents, shooting and exploring.

Her first Game Boy Color adventure has all the elements of the successful GreyStation series. Expect to see it around Easter time.

► Expect tons of hard to find secrets and loads of exploring.



▲ She gets to meet her fair share of crazed baddies like these spine tinglin' skeletons. You go, girlfriend.

Fast News

● Another Resident Evil game could be coming to the N64.

Capcom has confirmed that it's developing another hit for the N64, and that could mean we might finally see Resident Evil Zero.

It was planned for a Nintendo 64 only release, but was canned to make way for Resident Evil 2, out later this month.

We're waiting for confirmation, but we hope to know more next month.



● The lil' blue Smurfs are making a comeback on the N64.

Gargamel is up to his old tricks and it's up to Papa Smurf and the gang to save the day.

You'll be able to take control of a variety of mini men and use their unique skills. And you know there'll be a Smurf for every occasion.

The game's only in the early stages, but we're hoping to have screenshots very soon.

● Knockout Kings is hitting the Game Boy Color.

The smash hit Knockout Kings is getting the Game Boy Color treatment.

Handheld fans will be able to slug it out in Career and Arcade modes and fight as ten champion boxers, including Lennox Lewis and Evander Holyfield. Players will also be able to link up for a spot of fisty cuffs with their mates.



● Pokémon Gold and Silver are number one in Japan.

Despite Nintendo not having a single N64 title in the Japanese Top Ten, it still claimed the coveted number one slot.

Pokémon Gold and Silver sold 1.4 million copies to shoot to the top of the chart.

According to Famitsu Magazine, Zelda, The Continuing Saga, Mother 3 and Donkey Kong 64 are high up on Japanese gamers' wish lists.

● Notice anything strange about the South Park Rally packaging?

Take a closer look at Cartman and you'll see it's the same image that we used on our cover way back in the September issue.

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Jupiter, the biggest of the known planets in our galaxy, is over 10 times bigger than tiddly planet Earth.

Chunx sport fact

The United States of America has won more than 2000 prize medals since the Olympics started.

Chunx language fact

Chinese as a first language is spoken by 810 million people, more people than English, French, German and Spanish added together.

Chunx body fact

Laughing is excellent exercise for body and mind but, sadly, adults laugh on average six times less than children.

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Winback

Game Info

By: **Koei**

Type: **3D stealth shooter**

Release: **Easter 2000**

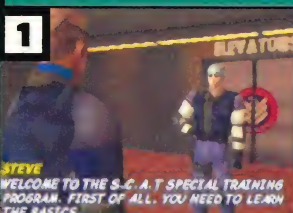


● Covert ops ● Search 'n' destroy ● Four player frenzy

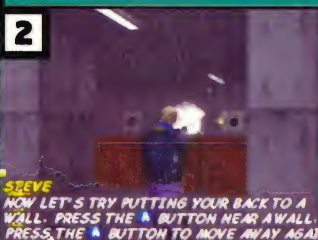
Master the basics

This is one game where a trip to the training option is an absolute must.

Here, you're taught the basic moves you'll need to start your mission. You'll learn to use your laser sight, and how to sneak up on the enemy without being spotted.



▲ Enter the tough training programme and Steve'll put you through your paces.



▲ He'll give you all the knowledge that'll help you stay alive. Listen up!



▲ You'll even learn how to roll and fire. That's bound to confuse the enemy!

Lock 'n' load

As you progress, the action pauses and the computer takes you to the next point.

You'll need to be quick when the battle starts again. Shooting is tough 'cos you have to keep your finger on **R** before pressing **A** to release the bullets. If you're getting low on ammo, tap **B** to reload.



▲ Oh no, you've been spotted. Get outta there, quick.



▲ Meet Jean Luc Cougar. It's your job to keep him alive, so don't mess up.

We think...

Winback is definitely a game to look out for in 2000. Jean Luc's movements are a little dodgy, but if that's sorted out we'll have an awesome game on our hands.

It's been a long time coming, but Winback looks like it's finally gonna get a UK release.

Okay, it may not be the Goldeneye beater we hoped it would be, but it's still an excellent game.

You play as Jean Luc Cougar and you must infiltrate a group of terrorists. The game also includes a terrific four player mode, so you and your mates can shoot your vast array of weapons.



▲ Look out, there's an enemy on the roof. Good shooting!



▲ The game features a cool multiplayer mode. You and your pals can really run riot!
▶ Blasting the sensor turns off the trip wire. That's it!





Legend of Ze

The Continuing Saga

Game Info

By: **Nintendo**

Type: **3D Adventure**

Release: **Christmas 2000**



▲ Link can use masks to turn into some cool characters like the Deku Scrub. He looks smart!

● Incredible RPG quest ● Awesome enemies ● Movie magic

Sharpen up your sword, adventurers, 'cos Link's next quest will blow you away.

He can put on masks to become a new character and solve puzzles using the Deku Scrub's hover and the Zora's swimming skills.

You'll also have to test your nerves with some awesome new bosses. Gulp!

► Thanks to the N64 Expansion Pak, the graphics in *Zelda The Continuing Saga* look incredible.

▼ Watch out for the man eating plants. Slice 'em in half before they get a chance to gobble you up.



Characters to meet

As you attempt to stop the moon smashing into Hyrule, you'll come across some old foes, including the Stalfos skeletons.

Link also helps a Happy Mask Shop salesman to find the pesky Skull Kid.



▲ As you search through the levels, you'll meet a salesman from the Happy Mask Shop.



▲ He's got some brill goodies tucked inside his backpack. Just look at his range of masks.

Ida

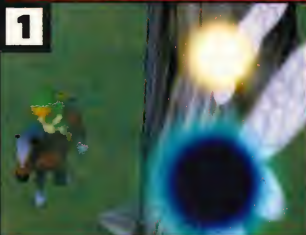
Amazing movies

Like *Ocarina of Time*, Link's new adventure features some fantastic sequences that'll make your eyes bulge.

The game begins deep in the heart of the forest where two fairies, Bell and Mondo, watch Link and Epona from high in the trees.

Suddenly a Skull Kid appears and warns Link about the impending disaster that's about to happen to Hyrule. Oh no!

Without warning, he steals Epona and rides off into the mist. Now you're on your own. That's where your adventure begins, Link...



▲ Up in the trees, two fairies look down on Link and his trusty steed.



▲ It might look like Navi, but that's Bell and her brother Mondo.



▲ Suddenly, the two fairies warn Link about the Skull Kid...



▲ ... but it's too late. The nasty kid steals Epona and rides into the fog.



▲ There are some cool bosses in *Zelda The Continuing Saga*. Use all yer tough sword skills to knock 'em dead.

We think...

***Zelda The Continuing Saga's* gonna be fantastic. With loadsa mouth watering challenges and mind blowing graphics, this sequel's gonna be the biz.**



▲ Everything on each level is fully destructible, so you can blast whatever you like. Houses, museums, you name it!



▲ Check out the action. The explosions are bigger 'n' better. It's almost like watching the special effects in a blockbuster movie.

Battletanx

Game Info

By: **3DO**

Type: **3D Tank Blaster**

Release: **February 2000**



● Awesome explosions ● Destroy everything

Okay, so *Battletanx* never made it to the UK. But the sequel's gonna blow it to pieces, anyway!

Your mission is set after a nuclear war in 2002. You must battle against international gangs and visit loadsa new locations around the US and Europe.

The game is more action packed than the original and features a cool two player cooperative option and a kick ass four player mode.

► Play the cooperative mode and a mate can help you. He's doing better than you.

▼ Visit loadsa locations from around the world. The White House is now rubble!



▲ Track down yer mates and blow 'em up!



▲ Another tank bites the bullet. Check your radar and find the final vehicle.

We think...

If the one player game is given a good polish, this could offer all shoot 'em up fanatics a great alternative to the usual stealth titles. The multiplayer is ace.

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◀ Who's this strange character? It must mean that there are even more heroes to come. Looks like the l'il 'fella's having a few problems. Watch out!

Game Info

By: **Rare**
Type: **3D Platform**
Release: **June**



▲ Mumbo Jumbo faces a huge, ugly rat. He'll need more Mumbo Magic if he's to win the fight. Go get him, skul face!

Banjo-Tooie

● Banjo's back ● Eight massive worlds ● Awesome bosses

Rare's deadly duo are back for more mad, mind blowing action.

This time, our hilarious heroes must face crazier enemies, badder bosses and brain numbin' puzzles.

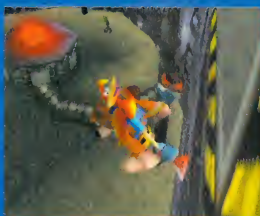
Kazooie can be controlled without having to cart around the huge honeybear, and our ol' 'fella Mumbo Jumbo is now a playable character.

The game also includes new multiplayer games, so expect more deathmatch action and a few cool surprises. The game of the summer is on its way.

▶ Where's Banjo? Now Kazooie can go it alone. We're not sure why he's sitting on the large egg.



▲ Check out the graphics. Banjo and Kazooie make their escape from the lava lava. This'll be one hot adventure.



◀ Banjo's learned a new move. He can now walk up walls.

▼ No Rare quest would be complete without a mire cart. Ev'la. This'll be fine.



We think...

Banjo-Tooie will be bigger than DK64 and just as exciting. Expect incredible graphics, huge bosses, tough puzzles and all the usual Rare magic. It'll be awesome!

Fast News

● ECW pounds WWF to the canvas.

Here's the first screenshot of ECW Hardcore Revolution and it's looking awesome.

The names won't be familiar to all you beat 'em up fans, but this promises to be the most violent fight style yet, with the infamous barbed wire bouts already up 'n' running.

Check out next month's info for loads more info on this ace grapple fest.



● More Pikachu magic for the US.

Remember the interactive Pokémon game, Pikachu Genki Dechu? Well, the US is in for a major treat as it's being launched in the Spring. Using a microphone that plugs into your N64, you've gotta become the lil' 'fella's friend and help him explore new areas. Keep your fingers crossed that this ace game will hit the UK later this year, Nintendo!

● Taz roars to '64 in ace adventure.

More wild, h'wacky cartoon action starring on your '64. The Looney Tunes gang are getting ready to go.

Taz Express sees you in control of the munching monster as you try to deliver a fragile parcel through five mad worlds, from Masta to the Wild West.



● Game Boy Games galore from Konami.

We already know about Track and Field II, but now Winter Olympics and NBA 2000 are gonna give sports fans irretrievably sore fingers.

Racing fans can hit the track with Cross Country Racing, and Stranded Kids and Azure Dreams will keep adventure freaks happy.

Konami is also releasing two Game Boy Collections, featuring four classic titles.

● Golden oldie karate sim crashes onto Game Boy.

Older gamers are in for a treat, as IKP's is coming 'atcha next month. Featuring 12 fights, the game'll see you battle to become champion.

With a two player mode and Rumble Pak feature, this is one beat 'em up that you've gotta own.



Star Wars Racer

If you're craving more Star Wars action, check out Episode 1 Racer on your GBC.

Control Anakin Skywalker's Pod and go head to head against the top pilots of the galaxy.

Win the race and you'll receive the losers' craft. You can make improvements to your own Pod or switch cruisers for your next challenge. You'll now be more competitive for harder races.

The game also includes an incredibly fast two player option, so gamers'll be able to link up and battle it out on their very own small screen.



▲ Your power is low, so ease up on yer Turbo.

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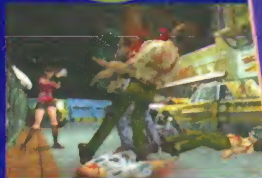
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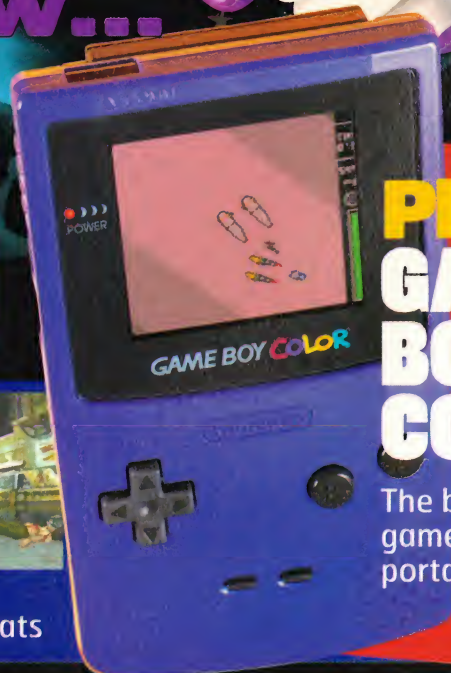
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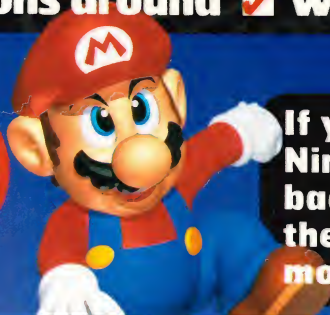
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Round 1

- (1) What was the name of the very first Nintendo Game & Watch title ever released?
- (2) In which game was Mario the villain?
- (3) Name the two Pokémon which can be revived from fossils.
- (4) What was the Super NES called in Japan?
- (5) What are the names of Goemon's three great mates in the game Mystical Ninja 2?
- (6) What is the name of the late Nintendo employee who designed the Game Boy?
- (7) The character Earl Slick appears in which ace Nintendo 64 blaster?
- (8) Whose Highway do you race around in the excellent game Mario Kart 64?
- (9) Koopa Troopers were known as what in the original Mario Bros. arcade game?
- (10) Which Game Boy racer was the first to rumble?



Talkin' Nintendo

Here's the line, but who said it...?

Round 2

- (1) "Yes, alert the Hoodwinks."
- (2) "I was responsible for the death of an entire civilisation."
- (3) "Over here, dumb ass!"
- (4) "Hi, I'm Fred and I'm looking for my dog."
- (5) "I am the best!"



Who the hell...?

Can you remember where these dudes appeared...?

Round 3



Where are we?

Can you name the games using these shots?

Round 4



▲ Also play the two on two hoop fest.



▲ Leave the Warzone for this sequel.



▲ Dino destruction returned to N64.



▲ It's rally action, but which racer is it?

The Big Question

We've got three copies of Midway's Ready 2 Rumble for the first people who answer correctly. Send your entry, marked Nintendo Mastermind (Feb), to the normal address on page 3.

"Nintendo started life making playing cards, but what were they called?"





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